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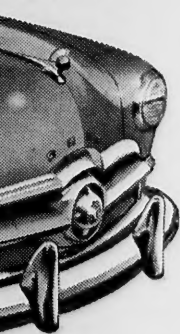
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VIEWS OF THE NEWS

By LEONARD F. JAMES

Twisting the British lion's tail
was until recent years a popular
sport in this country. Any lecturer
from across the Atlantic could ex-
pect to be attacked on Britain's
policy in Ireland, India, the Mid-
dle East and, immediately after
the war, Greece. The empire tail
has been worn considerably short-
er in recent years, in fact several
knots have been tied in it. But
simultaneously the American eagle
has grown more tall feathers.
Many of us, with particular ref-
erence to the editors of Life ap-
pear not to have noticed this.

Can We Afford Economic
Isolationism?

It is not an uncommon histori-
cal fact that as one nation de-
clines, another grows stronger.
And as it does so its responsibil-
ities increase, usually without
conscious effort or desire on the
part of that nation. Today's fact
is that the United States is inevit-
ably acquiring the job of taking
over many of the foreign obliga-

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Building Permits For Past Week

Permits for building construc-
tion estimated at \$34,300 were is-
sued during the week of Sept. 8
to 15 according to the report of
Building Inspector Ralph W. Cole-
man submitted to the board of se-
lectmen.

Permits for new construction,
estimated at \$23,300 were issued
as follows: George H. and Irene
Judge, Highland rd., residence;
Andrew and Catherine Sigouin,
Argilla rd., residence and garage;
William Schiebel, N. Main st., re-
sidence and garage; Ralph L. Con-
way, Jenkins rd., two stall garage;
John W. Gaudet, Rattlesnake rd.,
shelter; Paul and Theresa De-
Teresa, Red Spring rd., garage.

Permits for additions and al-
terations, estimated at \$6000,
were issued as follows: James
Childwell, Upland rd., additional
rooms; Ray S. Youmans, Dascumb
rd., tool shed; Alexander Renny,
Washington ave., front porch;
Joseph McNally, Summer st., ad-
ditional porch and alter kitchen.

Central P.T.A. Program For Year

At the board meeting of the
Central P. T. A., held Monday eve-
ning, at the junior high school,
Dino Valz, chairman of the pro-
gram committee, presented the
program for the year.

Wednesday, Oct. 9, will be
"Hello night" and will be observ-
ed with a barn dance, beginning

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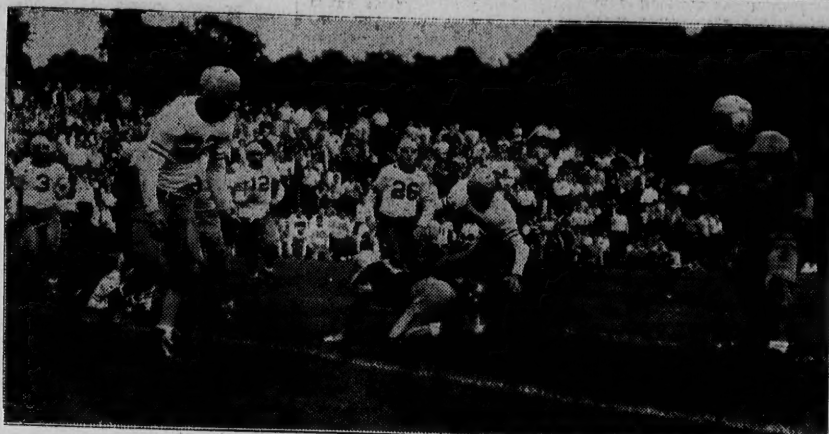
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Allan Wilson (12) Punchard High's speedy halfback, off on a substantial gain in the se-
son's opener against Concord High last Saturday which the undefeated visitors won 12 to 0.
(Look Photo)

Y.W.C.A. To Hold Smoothie Capers

Smoothie Capers will officially
open the fall program of the Law-
rence Y.W.C.A. This affair will be-
gin at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday,
Sept. 28 at the Y.W.C.A. building.
All women and girls over 15 are
cordially invited to attend.

Smoothie Capers is planned as a
gay and informative evening for all
who aspire to the status of
"smoothie." A fall fashion show
will be the feature attraction of the
evening. There will be displays of
the activities of groups and classes,
and an opportunity to meet the
staff and to register for activities.

The program includes: group
singing, games and refreshments.
It will be reunion night for former
members, and a welcome and
chance to get acquainted for girls
who are new.

The style show will be held in the
auditorium and is being planned by
Mrs. Delbina Ducheneau. The set-
ting for the show will be arranged
by the Lawrence Garden club.
Guests will be greeted by Mrs. John
S. Crouse, president of the "Y"
board, Mrs. Edward Erickson, Mrs.
Ralph Hill, and Mrs. Alfred Telech-
meier. Group singing will be led by
Miss Josephine Rommedahl, young
adult program director. Miss Bar-
bara Broderick, Y-Teen program
director, will lead the games, and
Miss Margaret Wooten, health edu-
cation director, will add to the eve-
ning's fun with several simple mu-
sical mixers. The accompanist will
be Miss Joan Lovering. Refresh-
ments will be planned by a com-
mittee lead by Mrs. Philip Wheeler.

Firemen Conclude Successful Carnival

The Andover Firemen's Relief
association brought its four-day
carnival to a successful close with
the award of the major prize, a
television set, which was won by
David L. Coutts, 2 Florence st.

Other nightly prize winners
were Walter F. Muller, 3 Lupine
rd., bicycle; Lionel F. Buckley, 16
Chester st., automatic toaster; and
William J. Young, 44 Elm st.,
outboard motor.

In the doll carriage parade held
on Children's day the winners
were, first, Nancy Fournier, 12
Osgood st., Lawrence; second,
Katherine Remble, 6 Boxford st.,
Lawrence; third, Judy Nicoll, Mo-
raine st., fourth, Shirley Brown,
Chickering ct.

Winners of the races included
Edward Cross, David Best, Helen
Sidebottom, Prudence Pimpale,
William Cronin, Eugene Pimpale,
Eleanor Finnerty, Lila Westfall,
James Sheard, Charles Hazeltine,
Jeannie Murnane and Elaine Lan-
n.

VETERANS MAY CORRECT DIVIDEND BLANKS

Francis P. Markey, director of
veterans services, has been in-
formed by Walter V. Robinson,
Veterans Administration insurance
officer for the Boston regional of-
fice, that some veterans who have
failed to enter the necessary data
on applications for special divi-
dend for National Service life in-
surance or who have completed the
form incorrectly are asking
what corrective action they should
take.

Mr. Robinson explained that if
only the name or address is mis-
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Concord Tops Punchard To Remain Undefeated

108 Townspeople Give To Blood Bank

Andover chapter, American Red
Cross, expresses deep gratitude to
those who helped provide this
particular form of health insur-
ance for the people of Andover
and hopes that when the next vis-
it is scheduled, more than 100
people can be found among our
population of over 12,000 well
enough and willing to donate
blood to help save human lives.

The following volunteer work-
ers served the blood bank: Harry
I. Emmons, program chairman,
Mrs. Foster C. Barnard, Chairman
registrations; Mrs. Harry I. Em-
mons, Mrs. Frederick Johnson,
Mrs. Frances Leland, Mrs. R. D.
Malley, Mrs. R. D. Mayo, Mrs.
Arthur Redfern, Mrs. J. J. Tay-
ern, Mrs. Irvin Wilkinson.

Mrs. Charles A. Gregory, chair-
man nurses and aides, Mrs. Dino
Valz, Mrs. Wilson Knipe, Mrs.
Fred Griffin, Mrs. William Stew-
art, Mrs. George Wiedman, Mrs.
Arthur Gillman, Mrs. E. Francis
Leland, Mrs. Wallace Brimer, Mrs.
Leo Allicon, Mrs. Harry Donovan.

Mrs. Henry G. Tyer, chairman
staff aides, Mrs. Philip Churchill,
Mrs. Alex Henderson, Mrs. Charles
Whiteside, Mrs. Henson Brown,
Miss Kitty Bigelow, Miss Mary
Bartlett, Mrs. Heinrich Rohrbach,
Mrs. Leon Field, motor corps
chairman, Mrs. John P. Connors,
Mrs. John H. Sullivan.

Mrs. C. D. McDuffie, chairman
canteen, Mrs. Vasco Nunez, Mrs.
Otto Eschholz, Miss Elizabeth Hil-
ton, Mrs. R. Smith, Mrs. Bernard
Capen, Miss Nickle Thiras, Miss
Dickie Thiras, Miss Beatrice Hen-
derson, Mrs. Clara Knox, Mrs. Ju-
lius Rockwell, Mrs. Malcolm Beal-
tie, Mrs. C. D. Thompson, Mrs. C.
P. Gabeler, Miss Madeleine Hewes.
Posters, Mrs. John Ranfone,
Miss Elizabeth Hatton, Miss Bar-
bara Barnard, Mr. Kent Donovan.
Properties: Mr. Arthur Bassett.
Headquarters: Miss Connie Mc-
Collum, Mrs. Bernard Kelmurray.
Firemen: Gordon Coutts, Alexan-
der MacKenzie, James Deyermund
and Timothy Madden.

Legion To Install Officers Sept. 29

Officers of Andover post, 8,
American Legion, will be installed
Thursday, Sept. 29 at the post
headquarters. Past Commander
Arthur L. Coleman will be in
charge of the ceremonies.

The officers to be installed are
Richard Wrigley, commander; Al-
bert Cole, Jr., senior vice-com-
mander; Robert Volker, junior
vice-commander; James F. Rob-
bent, adjutant; Robert Prescott,
finance officer; Alden Cook, chap-
lain; Thomas Duff, historian;
James D. Doherty, sergeant-at-
arms; and Kenneth L. Sherman,
Thomas Dea and Irving Whit-
comb, executive committee.

At the last meeting of the post
it was voted to keep the dues the
same as last year despite the sub-
stantial increase in dues payable
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Opens Local Season With 12-0 Victory Before Big Crowd

Concord High school's outstand-
ing gridiron squad retained its
unbeaten record when it opened
the local football season here Sat-
urday by defeating a fighting Pun-
chard eleven 12 to 0 before a rec-
ord opening day crowd estimated
at 5000.

It took the Concord boys only
three plays to register their first
touchdown after the opening kick-
off. Basile skirted his right end,
reversed his field and in a 46 yard
run went over for the first six
points. Collins blocked the try for
the extra point.

The visitors started another
drive from their 26 to Punchard's
37 at the end of the first quarter.
On the first play in the second
period Pierce took a handoff from
King and went around left end for
a 37 yard romp for another touch-
down. Collins again blocked the
try for the extra point.

Punchard took the third period
kickoff and made two first downs
to the Concord 40 before losing
the ball. The rest of the period
was nip and tuck.

In the fourth period the Punch-
ard offense started to click. They
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Resort Promotion Lagging In County

The resort businesses in north-
eastern Massachusetts are "missing
the boat" in getting their share of
new customers through failure to
maintain a regional advertising
and promotional program, a New
England Council spokesman de-
clared here yesterday.

Essex County Associated Boards
of Trade members meeting at the
Andover Inn were told by Gale
Emerson, manager of the council's
recreational development depart-
ment that the "unparalleled scenic
and other recreational attractions
of Essex county in general, and the
North shore in particular, should
be promoted as a 'package' if a
potential tremendous increase in
vacation dollar income to the re-
gion is to be realized.

"Within the boundaries of this
Commonwealth such competitive
recreational centers as the Berk-
shires, Pioneer Valley and Cape
Cod have lured tourist business
right from under your noses," Mr.
Emerson asserted, adding that "in
nearby New Hampshire, which has
fewer vacation visitors than Mas-
sachusetts, there are six regional
organizations operating year-round
programs to attract tourist dollars."

Wife of N. J. Governor On Visit To Andover

Mrs. Alfred E. Driscoll, wife of
the governor of New Jersey, was
in town Wednesday when she
brought her daughter, Patricia, to
enroll for her first term at Abbot
academy.

HEARING DATE SET FOR BALLARDVALE CROSSING PETITION

Delegation From 'Vale Will Appear
Before D.P.U. Oct. 15 To Oppose
Installation of Automatic Gates

U.N. Secretariat Here In October

A number of Andover homes
will be opened for the entertain-
ing of the group of United Nations
secretariat the first weekend in
October. Among the hosts and
hostesses who are opening their
homes are: Mr. and Mrs. Philip
K. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. James S.
Eastham, Mr. and Mrs. Harry I.
Emmons, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander
D. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland
Gillreast, Mr. and Mrs. Norman
L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Howell
Stillman, and Mr. and Mrs. Dean
K. Webster, Jr.

The guests will arrive in And-
over early Friday evening. Satur-
day morning sight seeing trips are
scheduled and there will also be
opportunities to play tennis, golf,
and even take a bicycle ride. At
noon, the hosts and hostesses and
the members of the secretariat

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New Engineer To Start Oct. 3

Warren O. Petersen of Haver-
hill, the new town engineer ap-
pointed by the board of public
works to succeed Charles T. Gil-
liard, will take over his new duties
Oct. 3, it was announced at the
board of public works meeting
Tuesday night.

The board also awarded the
contract for 200 tons of run-of-
mine bituminous coal to A. A.
Caffrey of Lawrence, the lowest
of five bidders, who quoted a
price of \$13.48 per ton. The other
bids were: Andover Coal Co.,
\$13.90; B. L. McDonald Co.,
\$15.50; George Gage, \$15.50;
Cross Coal Co., \$15.50.

It was announced that the in-
stallation of about 1500 feet of
water pipe on High Plain road
was nearing completion. Employ-
ees of the department are now
engaged on sidewalk and repair
work in and around Stevens and
North Main streets.

A & P To Oppose Federal Suit

Describing the suit to dissolve
the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea
company as a threat to the wel-
fare and living standards of every
American citizen, officials of the
company announced they would
oppose it with every legitimate
means.

The suit, filed in the federal
court for the Southern District of
New York, asked the court to dis-
pose of its manufacturing and
processing facilities and to break
the company into smaller chains.

This action is a threat to the
welfare and living standards of
every American citizen. If suc-
cessful, it will mean less food on
every dinner table and fewer dol-
lars in every pay envelope.

This is not just an effort to
destroy A. & P. but an attack on
the entire system of efficient, low-
cost, low-profit mass distribution
which this company pioneered.

A. & P. was the first chain store
in this country, and the methods
we developed have been adopted
by other grocers, as well as mer-
chants in other lines. There are
today literally hundreds of chain
stores and voluntary groups of in-
dividual merchants operating with
the same methods and in the same
pattern here under attack.

If the anti-trust lawyers succeed
in destroying A. & P., the way
will be cleared for the destruction
of every other efficient large-
scale distributor.

A hearing on the petition of the
Boston and Maine railroad for ap-
proval of the installation of auto-
matic gates at the Tewksbury and
Andover street grade crossing in
Ballardvale has been set for 10 a. m.
Wednesday, Oct. 19 in the hearing
room of the department of public
utilities at the state house, Boston.

The proposal of the railroad to
install and operate flashing light
signals and half-gates electrically
operated at this crossing in place
of the manually operated gates is
being opposed by many 'Vale resi-
dents.

Their chief concern is the safety
of school children of the district,
half of whom have to cross the rail-
road tracks four times a day.

When the proposed change was
announced last spring a committee
of Ballardvale residents enlisted
support of the board of selectmen
in opposition and the Ballardvale
P.T.A. sponsored the circulation of
a petition against the plan.

Over 300 signatures were secured
and these were given to the select-
men to be presented to the depart-
ment of public utilities at the hear-
ing.

The P.T.A. is forming a commit-
tee to be present at the hearing to
carry the protests of the district be-
fore the board.

From the railroad the selectmen
some weeks ago received informa-
tion that of 67 trains, 53 of them
passenger and 14 freight, pass the
crossing daily.

The railroad also told the select-
men that this proposed type of pro-

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Phillips Academy Opens 172nd Year

Enrollment 725 With
Several New Faculty
Members On Staff

Classroom doors opened today
on Andover hill for the 172nd
consecutive year, as Phillips acad-
emy began its 1949-1950 season.
Old boys returned to the school
on Monday, new boys on Tuesday,
and today is taken up with regis-
tration and placement. The enroll-
ment will be 725, the same as
last year.

Several new faculty members
have joined the staff. Edward J.
Shea becomes director of athletics
and physical education, filling the

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New Safety Signs For All Schools

Traffic safety "cutouts" of a
figure of a child which Police
Chief George A. Dane ordered sev-
eral months ago will be available
soon to be placed on the roadways
in front of each of the schools of
the town.

These cut-out figures are made
from waterproof wallboard and it
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POLIO DRIVE

The polio drive has been ex-
tended for another week. Addi-
tional contributions may be mailed
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Hearing Date Set For 'Vale Crossing' Petition

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tection has been highly satisfactory by some groups that previously protested their installation.

Officials of the B. & M. have given a detailed description of the operation of the automatic gates and the plan of their installation at the crossing.

They propose to place flashing



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As the gates start to descend, three red lights on each gate arm operate two flashing alternately

light signals on concrete pedestals near the tracks. On two of these will also be mounted electrically operated gates. On two other steel masts at the side of Tewksbury st. and the side of Andover st. there will be similar electrically operated gates and flashing light signals. Between the two pedestals west of the crossing a barrier will be erected to prevent entrance between the protected crossings. These will not interfere with direct passage between Tewksbury st. and Andover st. The retaining wall shown on the sketch is an existing low wall and does not necessarily indicate any change in the grade at Tewksbury st.

Description of operation of the gates and lights follows:

Automatic gates and flashing lights are designed to give crossing protection timed for the fastest speed permitted for trains on the line. When a train enters a track circuit for the crossing, dual mounted lights on the posts start flashing alternately and a bell rings. When the lights have flashed about four seconds, the gates start to descend, taking about seven seconds to reach the horizontal position.

As the gates start to descend, three red lights on each gate arm operate two flashing alternately

and the third near the tip of the gate burning steadily. All lights are double direction, that is, are placed back-to-back so that they can be seen from either side. Thus there would be at Ballardvale crossing at least 12 lights visible approaching the crossing from the west on either Tewksbury st. or Andover st. and 20 red lights visible approaching the crossing from the east, with a gate across each lane of travel, plus the ringing of a bell. The lapsed time from the first warning flashing lights until the train reaches the crossing is 28 to 30 seconds for the fastest train and, of course, a little longer for other trains.

When in the horizontal position, the gates extend over the right half of the roadway, that is, completely over the lane of travel approaching the crossing. The gates remain down and the lights continue to flash until the last car of the train has passed over the crossing. Should a second train approach from the other direction, the gates will remain down and the lights will continue to flash until the second train has passed. The purpose of omitting the gate at the leaving lane of the crossing is to avoid trapping a car that may have come onto the crossing after the lights had begun flashing.

PHILLIPS ACADEMY OPENS 172nd YEAR

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position left vacant by the retirement last June of Ray A. Shepard. Mr. Shea holds the degree of S. B. from Springfield college and A. M. from Emory university, Atlanta, Ga., where he was associate professor of physical education, before coming to Andover.

Gordon G. Bensley, a graduate of Andover in the Class of 1943, returns to the hill as instructor in art and William L. Schneider of Chicago comes as instructor in music. H. James Caulkins, also a graduate of Phillips academy, has been appointed assistant controller.

Dr. Benjamin G. Ferris, Jr., who is currently in the department of physiology at the Harvard university School of Public Health, has been named associate school physician at Andover, filling the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Henry M. Bernhardt last summer.

Two sources of electric power are used to prevent interruption to service and inconvenience to highway traffic in the event of failure of commercial electric power. If the commercial power fails, circuits would be automatically transferred to heavy duty storage batteries which are kept constantly charged.

The same type of equipment is used and the same care is given crossing signals as are given the automatic block signals which govern the movement of trains.

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U.N. SECRETARY HERE IN OCTOBER

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will gather for luncheon at the log cabin in the sanctuary. In the afternoon, those interested in football may attend the game at the academy. Otherwise, station wagons and drivers will be on hand so that guests may enjoy rides through the surrounding countryside, which should be particularly beautiful with autumn foliage.

Groups, such as the one to come here, have visited many places throughout New England, and in our immediate vicinity, in Boston, South Byfield, and Milton. The hospitality trips are arranged by the United Nations volunteer services. This organization is composed of ladies who give their time in an effort to increase understanding between peoples of the United States and the 59 member nations. The secretariat guests have expressed deep appreciation for the privilege of knowing American families and for week-ends of relaxation from their arduous administrative duties. This hospitality visit is a real gesture of international good will.

CENTRAL P.T.A. PROGRAM FOR YEAR

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at 7:15 p.m. in the high school gymnasium. Desert and coffee will be served, after which there will be square dancing under the direction of Harold Phinney.

During American education week, beginning Nov. 7, open house nights will be held. On Nov. 8, the senior and junior high schools will hold open house, and on Nov. 9, the Stowe, John Dove, and Jackson schools will be open for inspection.

A "Father's night" will be observed, Jan. 25, 1950, when Dr. W. Linwood Chase of Boston university school of education will speak on the subject, "Your child looks at you."

March 15, Dr. Godfrey Freeman of the firm of Rath and Strong, leading psychologist in the field of industrial medicine, will be the speaker.

After the meeting Monday night, the members adjourned to the home of the president, Ronald Fraser, at 84 Maple ave. where refreshments were served by Mrs. Fraser.

NEW SAFETY SIGNS FOR ALL SCHOOLS

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was the delay in getting this material that delayed their installation here as an additional safety feature.

"In order to make them effective," said Chief Dane, "they should be taken in and put out just before schools open and close each day."

It is expected that these new warning signs will be ready soon so that they can be placed in conspicuous places in view of approaching motorists.

LECTURES AT ROCKPORT

Heinrich Rohrbach, horticulturist, of Sunset Rock rd., gave a lecture at Rockport last Monday evening before the combined Garden clubs of the town.

There was such a large attendance at the super that preceded the talk that the meeting had to move into the church for the lecture. Mr. Rohrbach spoke on the conservation of shade trees and the danger of the Dutch elm disease.

Domestic breeds of chickens descended from the jungle fowl of India.

Wedding....

MacNAMARA — MATTON

Wearing a lovely wedding dress of white satin and lace made with a portrait train, with her illusion veil caught by an orange blossom coronet, and carrying stephanitis and white orchids, Miss Jeanette Cora Matton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fabien Matton of 44 Beacon st., was married Sept. 17 to Richard J. MacNamara, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald MacNamara, 13 Dexter ave., Malden.

The maid of honor, Miss Elaine Matton, sister of the bride, wore a fuchsia color gown with matching hat and carried a colonial bouquet of pompons and American beauties. The bridesmaids, Miss Joan Matton, another sister of the bride, and Mrs. Louis Soule, of Salem, N. H., wore aqua gowns with veil braided headpieces and carried colonial bouquets.

David MacNamara, of Philadelphia, Pa., was best man, and John MacNamara of Brookline, and James Reagon of Philadelphia were ushers.

The 10 o'clock ceremony took place at St. Augustine's church, with the Rev. Henry B. Smith officiating. A reception was held at the Andover Country club. Mrs. Matton wore a powder blue crepe afternoon dress, with a black velvet maribou trimmed hat, and a corsage of American beauty roses. Mrs. MacNamara wore a navy blue afternoon dress with matching accessories and a corsage of tallian roses.

After a wedding trip to Washington, D. C., the couple will live in Springfield.

Miss Matton graduated from Pynchard High school, and the Mount Auburn hospital school of nursing, Cambridge. Mr. MacNamara graduated from St. Joseph's prep and college.

Wednesday is named after Woden, a deity of the Anglo-Saxons.

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WHY THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILROAD STRIKE?

Over twenty years ago, the Congress of the United States passed the Railway Labor Act. It was hailed by union leaders as a model for the settlement of labor disputes.

THE LEADERS of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, Order of Railway Conductors, and the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen on the Missouri Pacific Railroad have refused to avail themselves of the peaceful means provided by this Act for settling their disputes. They insist that they be the sole umpire of their own disputes over the meaning of contracts.

There is no Need for Strikes

With all of the available methods for the interpretation of contracts, there is no need for a strike or even a threat of a strike, but the leaders of these railroad unions have ignored the ordinary procedures established by law and insist upon imposing their own interpretations of their contracts by means of a strike.

The wheels have stopped rolling on the Missouri Pacific. They may stop rolling on other railroads at any time. Recently the Wabash Railroad was forced to discontinue operation for several days under similar circumstances.

What are These Strikes About?

These strikes and strike threats are not about wage rates or hours. They result from disputes over the meaning of existing contracts. They cover claims for a full day's pay for less than a day's work, or for payments for services performed by others who were fully paid for the work done.

President Truman's Board Condemns Strike

There is an established legal method for handling disputes involving existing written contracts—just as there is such a method of settling any contract dispute which you may have in your daily life.

The President of the United States appointed a Fact Finding Board to investigate and adjust the Missouri Pacific dispute. This Board reported, in part, as follows:

"... It is with a deep sense of regret that we are obliged to report the failure of our mission. It seems inconceivable to us that a coercive strike should occur on one of the nation's major transportation systems, with all of the losses and hardships that would follow, in view of the fact that the Railway Labor Act provides an orderly, efficient and complete remedy for the fair and just settlement of the matters in dispute. Grievances of the character here under discussion are so numerous and of such frequent occurrence on all railroads that the general adoption of the policy pursued by the organizations in this case would soon result in the complete nullification of the Railway Labor Act...."

Obviously the railroads cannot be run

efficiently or economically if the leaders of the unions ignore agreements or laws.

Provisions of the Law which are Disregarded

There are five ways under the Railway Labor Act to settle disputes over the meaning of contracts:

- 1—Decision by National Railroad Adjustment Board.
- 2—Decision by System Adjustment Board for the specific railroad.
- 3—Decision by arbitration.
- 4—Decision by neutral referee.
- 5—Decision by courts.

The Missouri Pacific Railroad has been and is entirely willing to have these disputes settled in accordance with the requirements of the Railway Labor Act. Regardless of this fact, the union leaders have shut down that railroad.

Innocent Bystanders Suffer Losses and Hardships

There are about 5,000 engineers, firemen, conductors and trainmen on the Missouri Pacific. They are known as "operating" employees, and are the most highly paid of all employees on the nation's railroads, but their strike action has resulted in the loss of work to 22,500 other employees of the Missouri Pacific. In addition, they have imposed great inconvenience and hardship upon the public and the communities served by that railroad.

The Railway Labor Act was designed to protect the public against just such interruptions of commerce.

If these men will not comply with the provisions of the law for the settlement of such disputes, then all thinking Americans must face the question, "What is the next step?"



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Wedding....

MACNAMARA — MATTON

Wearing a lovely wedding dress of white satin and lace made with portrait train, with her illusion veil caught by an orange blossom crown, and carrying a bouquet of white orchids, Miss Jeanette MacNamara, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fabien Matton of 44 Beacon st., was married Sept. 17 to Richard J. MacNamara, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald MacNamara, 13 Dexter st., Malden.

The maid of honor, Miss Elaine Matton, sister of the bride, wore a schia color gown with matching veil and carried a colonial bouquet of pompons and American beauties. The bridesmaids, Miss Joan Matton, another sister of the bride, and Mrs. Louis Soule, of Salem, N. H., wore aqua gowns with veil braided eadpieces and carried colonial bouquets.

David MacNamara, of Philadelphia, Pa., was best man, and John MacNamara of Brookline, and James Reagon of Philadelphia were shers.

The 10 o'clock ceremony took place at St. Augustine's church, with the Rev. Henry B. Smith officiating. A reception was held at the Andover Country club. Mrs. Matton wore a powder blue crepe afternoon dress, with a black velvet maribou trimmed hat, and a corsage of American beauty roses. Mrs. MacNamara wore a navy blue afternoon dress with matching accessories and a corsage of talisman roses.

After a wedding trip to Washington, D. C., the couple will live in Springfield.

Miss Matton graduated from Pynchard High school, and the Mount Auburn hospital school of nursing, Cambridge. Mr. MacNamara graduated from St. Joseph's prep and college.

Wednesday is named after Woden, a deity of the Anglo-Saxons.

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TOWN TOPICS

Roy E. Hardy, local chairman of the committee in charge of the Opportunity drive which achieved such unusual success in the sale of Series E savings bonds in Massachusetts, has received a letter of thanks from Francis E. Burke, state director of the campaign, for his past efforts and support.

Louis S. Finger, vice-president and treasurer of the Andover Savings bank, was named second vice-president of the Savings Bank Association of Massachusetts at the 32nd annual meeting of the organization last week.

John C. Gallagher, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. Roswell Gallagher, 107 Highland rd.; and Allan B. Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irving E. Rogers, Sunset Rock rd. are among the students who resumed their studies Tuesday at Governor Dummer academy in South Byfield.

A plastic products show sponsored by the March circle of the Free church Woman's union will be held at the church at 8 p. m., Friday, Sept. 30. Admission is free and refreshments will be served.

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MOTHERS CLUB

The Andover Mothers club held their first business meeting and social hour recently at the home of the president, Mrs. George Symonds, 4 Beech circle. Among the items voted on was a penny social to be held at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Sept. 29 at the home of Mrs. Symonds. The assisting committee will be Mrs. Louise Simeone, Mrs. Annie Davis and Mrs. Ethel Bradshaw. The next meeting will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday, Oct. 6, at the home of the president. Committee will be Mrs. Clara Stocks, Mrs. Louise Simeone and Mrs. Eleanor Napier.

Gypsies, a race of wandering tribes, are scattered over all parts of the world.

PERSONALS...

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Busher and their 12-year-old son have taken an apartment at 11 Main st. Mr. Busher is connected with the Shawheen mill of the American Woolen company. The family formerly made their home in Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Lawson Clark and their 13-year-old daughter, Cynthia, have come to Andover from Amherst. Mr. Clark is the new farmer at the Wildrose farm.

Mrs. Maud Farlow of Main st. is spending a week in Waterville, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hagerty have moved from 264 to 450 Andover st. in Ballardvale.

Mrs. Ruth Stafford and family have moved from 6A Burnham rd. to the Zechini house at 4 Maple ave.

The family of Richard C. Simmers has moved from Dascomb rd. to 131 Chestnut st.

William Schlott of Elm st. entered the Oxford Business college at Cambridge this week.

Roland H. Sherman, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sherman of 66 Central st. has entered his first year at St. George's School for Boys, Middletown, R. I.

Miss Joan M. Gallagher, of School st., has entered her first year at the Children's hospital school of nursing, which is an affiliation of Simmons college.

Michael Goriansky, of 148 Main st., has returned to his studies at Kenyon college, Gambier, Ohio.

Catherine G. Shattuck is one of 13 Massachusetts Holstein breeders recently admitted to membership in the Holstein-Friesian Association of America by unanimous vote of the board of directors.

Mrs. Eva Edley and Mrs. Myrtle Dyckman of Dedham were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie A. Gunn of 41 Pine st.

Mrs. Levering Reynolds, Jr., of 61 Shawheen rd., Mrs. John G. Gaskill of Lowell st., and Mrs. Frederick Noss of Elm st., attended the ministers' wives retreat which was held Tuesday and Wednesday at Rolling Ridge in North Andover.

Mrs. Thomas K. Woodhead of 174 Elm st. left recently to spend the winter months in Allentown, Pa.

Mrs. Mary Glennon of Malden visited Sunday at the home of her brother, Archie A. Gunn, 41 Pine st.

Mrs. Addie Trow has returned to her home at 50 1/2 Whittier st. following a two weeks' vacation in Virginia. She made the trip home by plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert E. Welch, former Andover residents and at present of Boothbay Harbor, visited several days of this week with friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. Richard Wrigley of 74 Stevens st. has returned to her duties in a Boston office following a weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Woodhead and family of 184 Elm st. visited recently at West Yarmouth on the Cape.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Weeks and son, John Allan of Carmel rd., are enjoying a two weeks' motor trip through the middle west.

Miss Nellie A. Irvine of 63 Whittier st. is enjoying her annual two weeks' vacation from the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

William Lowe, Main st., spent the weekend in Worcester.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shann, 32 Main st. motored to Connecticut over the weekend.

Mrs. Lillian Gordon, Mrs. Ann

Maitland, Mrs. Minnie Thompson attended an installation of auxiliary members in Boston, Saturday.

Miss Irma C. Beene attended her uncle's birthday party, Sunday in Malden. The guest of honor was Dr. Ernest Carl.

Miss Sally McKay, Chestnut st. enjoyed a trip to Boston Tuesday.

Edward McCabe of Exeter, N. H. visited in Andover over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ward, Park st. enjoyed the weekend at their cottage at Hampton Beach, N. H.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow:

Ernest J. Robidoux, 33 Bourque st., Lawrence, and Henrietta Demboski, Lowell Jct.

FOOD SALE

A food sale sponsored by the November circle of the Free church women's union will be held at the Lawrence Gas and Electric company offices, Main st. at 9 a. m. Saturday, Sept. 24.

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A Communist is a man who sees "red" because he knows he lacks the necessary brains ever to become a capitalist.—Pathfinder.

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Obituary...

CHARLES W. PITMAN

Charles W. Pitman, 78 Salem st., the oldest retired employee of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., died Saturday afternoon at his home following a short illness.

He was born in Skowhegan, Me., and resided in Somerville for 45 years before coming to Andover 11 years ago, and was employed as a clerk in Boston before his retirement. He was a member of Soley lodge, A. F. & A. M., of Somerville and was a Mason for 57 years.

Surviving are four sons, J. Russell Pitman of Belmont, Arthur G. Pitman of Wollaston, Carl B. Pitman of Reading and Douglas B. Pitman of Andover, with whom he made his home; one brother, Fred Pitman of South Portland, Me., five grandchildren. The funeral was held from the late home Tuesday with a Masonic service by Soley lodge at 2 p. m. Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery.

The service was conducted by the following: Master, Charles D. Coyle, S. W., George Brigham, J. W., Dr. Malcom B. McTernan, P. D. G. W., St. Matthew's Lodge; Chaplain, the Rev. Stephen C. Lang, Soley lodge, Somerville; Marshall, James E. Lukey, Soley lodge, Somerville; S. D., Warren Perry; J. D., James E. Lukey, Jr., S. S., Benjamin Oldfield, P. D. G. W., John Hancock lodge, Methuen; J. S., George Thompson, St. Matthew's lodge.

The bearers were: Charles D. Coyle, George Brigham, George Thompson, Benjamin Oldfield, James E. Lukey, and James E. Lukey, Jr.

The honorary bearers were: Dr. Malcom B. McTernan, and Warren Perry.

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JUNIOR HIGH

The Junior High school tea sponsored by the Central P.T.A. will be held at 3 p. m. Wednesday, Sept. 28. This will be the first opportunity for parents and friends to meet the teachers in the junior high.

Benjamin F. Dimlich, acting principal, will speak on the topic, "Problems confronting the new Junior High school student."

WEDDING RETURN

The following marriage return has been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow:

Allan Ray Munroe, Lowell st., and Norma Phyllis Legare, 15 Railroad ave. North Andover, married Sept. 11 by the Rev. John H. O'Connor, at St. Michael's rectory.

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WEINER — CHIMES

Gowned in candlelight chintilly lace, her fingertip veil of illusion caught in place by a pleated half Juliet cap, and carrying a cascade arrangement of white gladioli, stephanitis, and "fleur d'amour" Miss Rita Lena Chimes, of 74 Bartlet st., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max C. Chimes, of Johannesburg, South Africa, and Dr. Robert Sherman Weiner son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Weiner of 62 Holyrood ave., Lowell were married Sept. 11 at 12 o'clock at the Beacon house, in Brookline. Rabbi Dembowitz officiated. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

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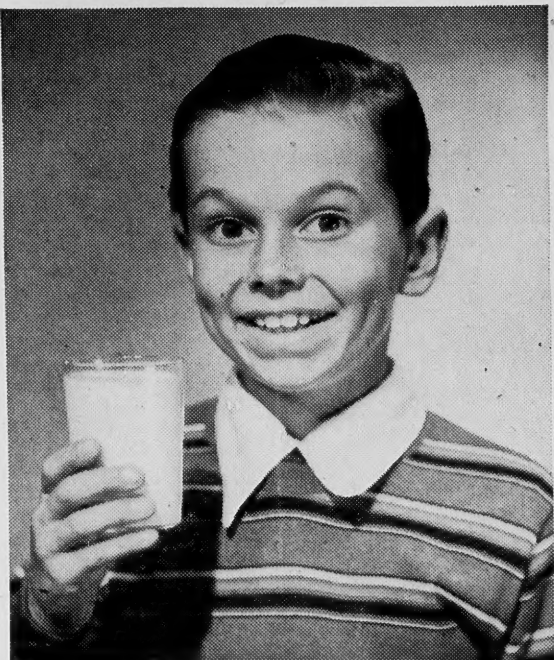
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Miss Charlotte S. Weiner of Lowell was maid of honor. With her gown of aqua faille taffeta and her braided velvet tiara, she carried an old fashioned bouquet of sweetheart roses and stephanitis.

Dr. Robert Buka of Boston was best man. The ushers were Dr. Mort Bader of New York, Dr. Mort Palken of Boston, Felix Palubinskas of Iowa, Charles Weiner of Lawrence, Richard Freeman of Rutland, Vt., and Joseph Cusell of Lawrence.

The bridegroom's mother wore a royal blue crepe gown with jeweled belt. Her headress consisted of blue and gold ostrich plumes with blue malle trimmings and she wore a corsage of yellow tea roses.

At the reception, which was held at the Beacon house, guests were present from Baltimore, New York, Connecticut, Iowa and Washington, D.C.

After an extended motor trip the couple will live in Brookline. The bride graduated from Johannesburg schools and from the college of Modern Methods in Business Administration. The bridegroom graduated from Harvard college, and Harvard medical

school. He interned at Beth Israel hospital, Boston and for the past two years, has served at a U. S. Air Force hospital as assistant chief of surgery.

WALEN — BUCHHOLZ

Miss Elizabeth Louise Buchholz, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Eduard Seigfried Buchholz, of Drexel Hill, Pa., and Donald Atcheson Walen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dean Walen, of Andover, were married at 11 o'clock Saturday, Sept. 17, in Saint Marks church, Philadelphia. The Rev. Philip Fifer officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory satin, fashioned with a fitted bodice with a draped neckline, and a full skirt with a long train. Her veil of illusion fell from a Juliet cap of satin, covered with old family duchess lace. She carried a bouquet of white lilies and stephanitis.

Miss Elaine Shuts of Philadelphia was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Caroline Elizabeth Olson, of Wellesley, Miss Anne Ebaugh, Miss Joan Ober, and Miss Elaine Schneck, all of Philadelphia. They wore dresses of faille, the maid of honor in grey blue, two bridesmaids in deep pink and two emerald green. All carried rubrum lilies.

The bride's cousin, Barbara Buchholz, and Kathryn Ann Schaub, Eastern Shore, Md., were flower girls. Their dresses were of the grey blue taffeta. They carried old fashioned bouquets.

The bride's godson, Master Daniel Buchholz was ring bearer.

The bridegroom's brother, Edward E. Walen, was best man. The ushers were Gregory Hubler, Gordon, Pa., Victor Schmidt, Emmons, Pa., and Harmon and Brooke Friel, Germantown, Pa.

A wedding breakfast, at the Barclay hotel, followed the ceremony.

Mrs. Buchholz's gown was grey satin with matching hat and an orchid corsage. Mrs. Walen wore blue taffeta, with contrasting hat, and an orchid corsage.

After a wedding trip to Bermuda, Mr. and Mrs. Walen will live in Bergenfield, N. J.

Mr. Walen was graduated from Phillips academy, and from Princeton university in 1949. During the war he served with USNR, in the Pacific. Miss Buchholz was graduated from Friends Central school, Overbrook, Pa., from John B. Stetson university, Deland, Fla., and attended the Philadelphia Museum school of industrial art.

PEIGHTEL — MOSES

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Moses, 169 Andover st. North Andover, announce the marriage of their daughter, Beverly Ann, to Capt. James Lloyd Peightel at St. Paul's American church, Rome, Italy, on Sept. 3. The Rev. R. E. Anderson officiated.

Miss Jean Grace Cole of Miami, Fla. was maid of honor, and Capt. William Cavoli of Vineland, N. J. was best man. Master Gregory Collins of Rome was the ring bearer. The ushers list included Col. William Perry, Major R. E. Adamina, Major F. J. Alois, and Major Townsend Anderson.

Miss Moses was given in marriage by William Hardage of the state department.

There was a reception following the ceremony at 855 Via Cassia, where the couple will live during their stay in Rome.

Capt. and Mrs. Peightel flew to London and will visit Scotland, thence to Venice and Capri on their honeymoon.

Mrs. Peightel attended Pennsylvania State college and graduated from the University of New Hampshire in 1946. She is a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority. Capt. Peightel, son of Mrs. Ira S. Peightel and the late Mr. Peightel of Harrisburg, Pa. studied at Juniata college. He was commissioned in 1945 in the U. S. air force. At present, he is with the air attaché staff in Rome.

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Will Report On School Survey

A report on a survey of school building needs in Andover, made by Dr. Jesse B. Davis of Boston university, will be heard by the largely school committee and a participatory committee of citizens at a special meeting to be held at Goldsmith library, Punchard high school, Tuesday, Sept. 27, at 7:30 p.m.

Funds were provided for this survey by a special article in the annual town warrant last March, which was sponsored by the school committee.

Dr. Davis undertook the survey shortly after that time, and has been assisted by Cyril Sargent, formerly of the faculty of Phillips academy, and now associated with the Harvard School of Education. The citizens committee was invited by the school committee to work with the members in evaluating the needs of the school department's physical properties.

Included in the group are Roy E. Hardy, chairman of the board of selectmen, Victor J. Mill, Jr., Ralph B. Wilkinson, Leo F. Daley, L. Fraser Colpitts, Miss Barbara A. Loomer, Mrs. Edward J. O'Connor, Arthur R. Lewis and C. Carleton Kimball, a member of the finance committee.

Results of the survey will be used by the school committee in its future planning of the local school system.

14 Evening Study Courses Offered

On Oct. 17 the Andover Evening Study program for adults will open at Phillips academy for the thirteenth season. The program, which consists of 14 separate courses this year, will continue through Dec. 8.

These courses are staffed by members of the Phillips academy faculty and by teachers from neighboring schools and colleges, all of whom serve without pay. All proceeds beyond the actual costs of operation are given annually to charitable and educational causes in and around Andover. To date, a total of \$4,500 has been so given. This adult school is open to all men and women; those whose formal education has been limited are especially welcome.

The evening study program this year includes fields widely ranging in interest and content. In the field of foreign study there is a course on the civilization of France, which has been so important to our own. A course entitled "Seven Rebel Thinkers" presents a series of important ideas in various fields, dramatized in the lives of seven famous men, among whom are Socrates, Jefferson, Pasteur, Einstein and others.

In the field of literature and the arts are courses linking art and poetry, one on the reading of fiction and one on the reading of plays. Other courses are concerned with music, amateur photography, studio art, fire-fighting, trees of the Andover region, effective speaking, swimming for women and keeping fit.

On or before Monday, Oct. 3, the charges are \$1 for enrollment and a fee of \$1 for each course taken. After Oct. 3 the registration fee becomes \$2 but the charge for each course remains the same. Registration blanks, in the last pages of the booklet describing the courses, may be obtained at any of the following places: Memorial Hall library; Stevens Memorial library, North Andover; the Lawrence Public library; the Nevins Memorial library, Methuen; the Lowell Public library and the Haverhill Public library.

Heads Sportsmen's Emergency Detail

Chester Harnden was named head of the emergency detail of the Andover Sportsmen's club at the organization's first meeting. He will replace James H. Mosher who has served for some time as head of that detail.

Raeburn Hathaway of Bartlet street, winner of the club's essay contest held last spring, reported upon his two weeks' experience at the Massachusetts conservation camp, giving an interesting day-by-day account of his activities.

Bowling Lesson

Two coeds were at a bowling alley near the campus.

"I never bowled before. Tell me what I'm supposed to do," said coed No. 1.

"Just be careful not to knock all the pins down with the first ball," replied No. 2, "because then you get cheated out of the second throw."

PUNCHARD HIGH

By JANET THOMPSON

NEW SPEECH CLASSES

This year in Punchard High school there are being inaugurated new classes within the English department. It has been the general feeling that a course in speech should afford the following opportunities:

To help students organize and speak their thoughts clearly, distinctly, and effectively in and out of school;

To help students to acquire a reasonable, elementary knowledge of, and proficiency in, the fundamentals of speech, namely: voice, poise, expressive action, vocabulary, pronunciation, articulation, enunciation, and the everyday speech activities;

To give the student the best possible practice in the development of personal speech proficiencies;

To help the students become careful critics of their own speech and the speech of others;

To help students become literate and effective listeners.

To carry out these general aims, considerable experience with the different types of speech activity (conversations, informal talk, oral readings, reports, interpretations of good writing, etc.), primarily for the purpose of attaining proficiency in the fundamentals of speech, will be given. High school students should find a worthwhile outlet for their increasing social consciousness through this study of speech.

These classes are under the direction of Mervin E. Stevens, long a member of the Punchard High faculty. Many years of private lessons in voice, of membership in the acting group at the Gloucester School of the Theatre, of production of plays with amateur and semi-professional groups makes him exceptionally well qualified to take over this work.

Pencil Sales Campaign

The excellent Punchard school spirit is certainly being displayed by the way in which the students, as well as many other loyal supporters, have been purchasing the "Blue and Gold" pencils, conveniently inscribed with a football schedule of Punchard games. The Junior class has been sponsoring this sales campaign to raise mon-

ey for its treasury. Have you bought a pencil?

Cheerleaders

Bessie Christie, captain of the cheerleaders, met recently with Miss Frances Collins, physical education supervisor, and Ethel Hibbert to choose this year's cheering squad from the 16 candidates. The girls selected for the squad are as follows:

Bessie Christie, captain, Marion White, Grace Engel, Nancy Chadwick, Suzanne Markey, Barbara Parsons, Jean Dumont, Eva Glavinco, and Peggy Grecoe.

Notes

The sophomores met Tuesday to elect their class officers who are: president, Raeburn Hathaway and vice president, Emil Ross.

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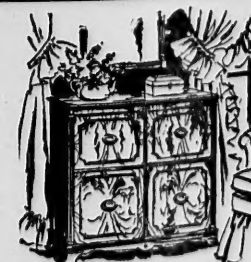
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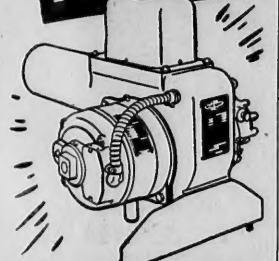
John C. Elder, William Hard- ty, Robert L. Mower, and Ronald M. Valentine all of Andover were among those who received gifts for having had perfect attendance for the 1948-1949 season when the Merrimack Valley chapter of the National Association of cost accountants held its first meeting of the season at the Andover Country club.

William J. Vallette, industrial engineer, of the Hytron Corpora- tion, Newburyport, the main speaker of the evening spoke on "Work Simplification for Cost Reduction."

The following Andover men were seated at the head table: Harold G. Bowen, treasurer; Frederick H. Dodkin, director.

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Court Saint Monica, 783, C.D. of A. had its first meeting Monday Sept. 12. Many important events for the coming year were planned by the group.

Worthy Grand Regent, Mrs. Stewart Anderson, summarized the state conference. Miss Margare O'Brien was the winner of an Emmanuel college scholarship, presented by the Catholic Daughters of America.

Plans for a state communion breakfast were completed for Oct. 16. There will be a mass at St. James church, Boston, with breakfast at the Hotel Statler. The Most Reverend John J. Wright, D.D., auxiliary bishop of Boston, will be guest speaker. Reservations may be made with Mrs. Stewart Anderson.

For its first social affair, a lawn party will be held at the home of Mrs. James E. Coleman, Sept. 24. A dessert bridge, whist and penny social will start promptly at 2 p.m., weather permitting, or at St. Augustine's school hall, if it proves too cool. Many fine prizes have been procured for an enjoyable afternoon.

Members have been asked to bring a prize, and to help with the serving and other details.

A rummage sale will be held at St. Augustine's school hall, Saturday morning, Oct. 1, from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Members will collect the clothing, price it, and deliver it to the hall, Friday night or to Mrs. John Connors' home, Chestnut st., to be sold at the sale Saturday morning. Volunteer workers will be appreciated.

The next social will be held, Monday, Sept. 26.

Danger Lurks In Fire Extinguishers

Fire Chief C. Edward Buchan has received notification from the division of fire prevention of the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety, stating that many hand fire extinguishers now in use are in a dangerous condition, and may cause injury to those who handle them.

Fire Chief Buchan has announced that the fire department will be willing to examine all extinguishers which are brought to the fire station. Those who are unable to bring the extinguishers in for the test, may call the department and make arrangements for such an examination of the apparatus.

\$100 Scholarship Is Available

The Boston Market Gardeners Association offers to any worthy boy or girl who has satisfied the entrance requirements in either the two-year or the four-year agricultural course at the University of Massachusetts, \$100 to help defray expenses at that institution. The award will be paid at the beginning of the second semester of the student's first year at the University.

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Arthur Jowett At Fort Dix, N.J.

Recruit Arthur Jowett, son of Mrs. Robertina Jowett, 6 Binney st., now in the U. S. Army has successfully completed basic training. Recruit Jowett entered the service May 25 at Boston and received his 14 weeks of basic military training in Company G, 80th Infantry Regiment, a unit of the battle-famed 9th Infantry Division, Fort Dix, New Jersey.

Prior to entering the service Recruit Jowett was employed by the F. B. Sheehy Co., Essex st.

King's Daughters To Conduct Fair

The King's Daughters fair will be held at the South church, Friday, Sept. 30 beginning at 3 o'clock. There will be aprons, white elephants, bakery, plants and flowers, grabs, balloons, and miscellaneous articles on sale. Hot dogs, sandwiches, coffee, ice cream, and tonic will also be available. At 7:30 o'clock a magician will give interesting entertainment.

INFORMATION FOR VETERANS

Q—I took out term NSLI but gave it up after the war and never did convert my insurance. Am I entitled to the special NSLI dividend?

A—If your NSLI policy was in force for three months or more, you are eligible, even though your policy is now lapsed.

Q—My husband, a World War I veteran, passed away recently. Will I, his widow and beneficiary of his U. S. government life insurance, receive the USGLI special dividend?

A—As his beneficiary, you will receive the dividend if your husband died on or after Dec. 1, 1948 and his policy was in force under premium-paying conditions in December, 1948, and he was otherwise eligible to participate in the dividend.

Q—My brother, a World War I veteran, has been carrying USGLI for many years, but several months ago he was placed in a mental institution. What action is necessary to get the USGLI special dividend, and to whom will it be paid?

A—No action is necessary. The dividend will be paid to the legal guardian.

Q—I am an employed World War II veteran and wish to get a GI loan to buy a business. Can I get such a loan, even though I intend to continue working at my present job?

A—If you plan to conduct the business yourself, on either a full- or part-time basis, you would be eligible for a GI business loan.

LIVING IN PAWTUCKET

The Misses Patricia and Elaine Naughton formerly of Florence st. are now living in Pawtucket. R. I. Patricia, who attended St. Patrick's high school for girls in Lawrence, is now a junior at St. Xavier's academy, Providence, R. I. Elaine, who was a pupil of the sixth grade in St. Augustine's school, has entered junior high at St. Edward's school in Pawtucket. Both young ladies are, at present, living with their grandmother.

SAILS FOR ENGLAND

Brenda D. Giles, of Croydon, England has just finished an eight weeks' visit in Andover with the Carleton Kimbells with whom she lived during the World War II. She was delighted to see many of her former school-mates and friends while here and is now on her way back to England aboard the Cunard liner "Caronia". In early October she will enter college at Kingston-on-Thames in Surrey. Mrs. Kimball and her daughter, Peggy accompanied her to New York. She will go to her home in Croydon for a week before she enters college.

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Malcolm B. McTernan to Malcolm B. McTernan et ux, Wolcott ave.

Tra. of Abbot academy to Kenneth S. Semple et ux, School st.
Richard M. Zecchini et ux to David H. Stafford et al, Maple ave.
George Homer Judge et ux to Richard M. Zecchini et ux, Summer st.

Family Closeups To Be Broadcast

In a nation-wide effort to give the public greater insight into the causes of family discord and suggest where close-at-hand professional help is available, station WLAW and the Family Service association of Greater Lawrence and Greater Lowell, Red Feather services of the community chests in those areas, will join family service agencies and American Broadcasting affiliates throughout the country in presenting "Family Closeup", a documentary radio series, starting Saturday, Sept. 24.

The half-hour dramatized programs will be heard over station WLAW for 13 weeks each Saturday from 3 to 3:30 p.m.

Described as "a candid search of the tensions in American homes", the program will be created from the real life stories of everyday families, with names and situations disguised to protect identities.

The series is sponsored nationally by the public affairs department of the American Broadcasting company and the Family Service Association of America. Family service agencies and ABC stations in more than 200 cities are cooperating in the public interest to present the broadcasts.

The Rev. Alexander S. Twombly, president of the board of the Family Service association of Greater Lawrence reported that the "Family Closeup" series will present the problems of American families as they are, without judgement or preaching, with emphasis on the root cause of conflict.

As a Red Feather service of the Lawrence community chest, the counselling help at the Family Service association of Greater Lawrence is available to all without cost or on a fee basis, and regardless of race, creed, color or income.

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Daly, 15 Cuba st. announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Mary, to Carl W. Roth, U. S. Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roth of Johnstown, Pa. The wedding took place July 25 in Maryland.

Mrs. Roth is a graduate of Pynchard high school and the

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Wilfred Academy of Beauty Culture in Boston. She will live in Pennsylvania with her husband who will return shortly from a tour of duty in Puerto Rico.

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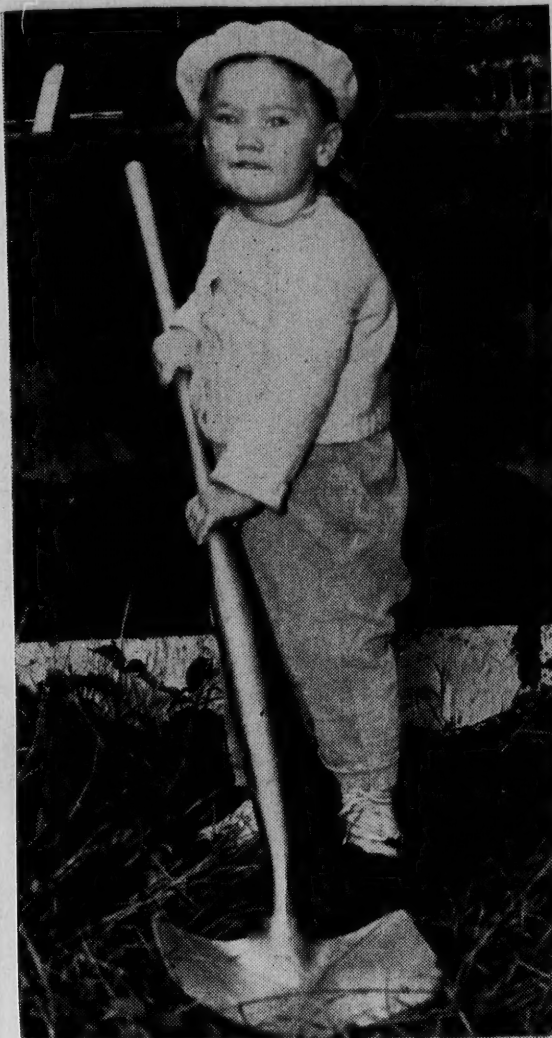
BETWEEN 3 and 5 in the afternoon, the author of this new book—Catherine Ridgeway McCarthy of Andover—will autograph your copies of her appealing new novel *The Definition of Love*. "With sensitivity, candor, and a young, but by no means inexperienced touch, this tells the story of Connie Trumbull, twenty, as she faces the first harsher exposures of the adult world." (Advance review).

Grant Pole Locations For Veterans' Housing

The board of selectmen Monday night approved a petition of the Lawrence Gas and Electric Co., calling for the erection of one pole on the westerly side of Morton street near Chestnut st., and four poles on the easterly side of Morton st. to points southerly from Chestnut st. These will be installed to service the buildings on the veterans' housing site.

The board voted to attend the hearing in Boston to be given Oct. 19 on petition of the Boston and Maine railroad to install automatic gates in Ballardvale and to notify all interested organizations and individuals in the Vale.

A campaign of civic betterment is underway by real estate boards throughout the country under the sponsorship of a special committee of the National association of real estate boards.



Giving her assistance at the ground breaking for the veterans' housing project is Brenda L. Eldred, 2, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Eldred of Main street. The father is commander of Andover post, 2128, V.F.W. and the mother is junior vice-president of the V.F.W. auxiliary.

Many At Funeral Of Dr. W. A. Fleming



DR. WILLIAM A. FLEMING

Friends and professional associates paid tribute to Dr. William A. Fleming at his funeral which was held from the family home Monday with a solemn high mass of requiem in St. Augustine's church at 10 a.m. The Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A., was the celebrant, the Rev. Matthew F. McDonald, O.S.A., deacon, and the Very Rev. Thomas P. Fogarty, O.S.A., pastor, sub-deacon. Seated within the sanctuary were the Very Rev. Michael A. Hopkins, O.S.A., pastor of St. Laurence's parish the Rev. Stephen Lanen, O.S.A., of the Augustinian mission band, and the Rev. Philip A. Holland, O.S.A., of Church of the Assumption. Mrs. Terese M. Donovan sang "Jesu Salvator Mundi" at the offertory. Mrs. Charles J. McCartin sang "Lux Aeterna" at the post-communion and James Sheard sang "Let A Pious Prayer Be Said" at the recessional. Mrs. Donovan was organist. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery, where Father McDonald and Father Smith conducted committal services.

Dr. Fleming, who was 52, lived at 15 Pasho st. He died Friday evening at his home following a short illness.

Dr. Fleming came here from Ireland at the age of six, and attended the public schools here, and then went on to Boston College and received his dental degree from Tufts Dental school.

He was a veteran of the first World War, and a member of Andover post, 8 American legion, St. John's alumni association, Tufts college dental alumni association, American dental association, Massachusetts state dental

association, New England dental society, and St. Augustine's Catholic men's club.

Dr. Fleming leaves his wife, Alice (Welch) Fleming; a daughter, Joan Elizabeth; his father, Edward Fleming; four brothers, James of Long Island, N. Y., Edward and John of Andover, and Patrick of Methuen.

The funeral was attended by a delegation from the Merrimack Valley Dental association, which included: Dr. Richard J. Anderson, Dr. Abraham J. Batal, Dr. Donald Black, Dr. John C. Brown, Dr. Salvatore F. Cataudella, Dr. Victor A. Curtin, Dr. Joseph Fenton, Dr. David Fleming, Dr. Timothy Fleming, Dr. Maurice F. Grossman, Dr. William A. Hopkins, Dr. John J. Koffertan, Dr. Edward M. Lynch, Dr. Edward J. Moulin, Dr. William J. Murphy, Dr. Stanley G. Neales, Dr. Benjamin Nicholson, Dr. Milton J. Meyers, Dr. Bert Siskind, Dr. Arthur I. Teutonico, Dr. Joseph Tomaselli and Dr. Bruno S. Wojkun.

The Greater Lawrence St. John's club was represented by Dr. John J. Durso, national president; Albert V. Regan, John S. Cahill, Joseph A. Comber and Arnold W. Sullivan.

The delegation from the Catholic Men's club of St. Augustine's church, Andover, included Frederick Griffin, president; Dr. Harry V. Byrne, William and James Doherty, John Greco, Victor Mill, Sr., Eugene A. Bernadin, Leo Walsh, James Greeley and William Simeone.

The delegation from Andover post, 2128, V.F.W., included: color guard, in charge of Thomas Eldred, commander, Hector Keith, Francis O'Connor and William Lahey; firing squad, commanded by Peter Gervais, George Brackett, William Heidendeich, Raleigh Bright, George Milne, William Hulse, Leonard Blamire and Alex Blamire, Jr. Thomas Eldred and Frank Markey folded the flag.

The buglers were Marcel Levesque and Harry Van Dyke of Sacred Heart school.

The honorary bearers were: Cornelius Twomey, William Harnedy, James Ryan, Vincent Treanor, Charles Crowley, William Merchant, Edward Rice, Edward Dowd, Harold Welch and Dr. William A. Hopkins.

The bearers were: Dr. John J. Hartigan, Daniel Hartigan, Dr. John F. Curtin, Blanchard Frye, Dr. John T. Batal and Dr. John G. Oddy.

PROCESSION MARKS CLOSE OF ST. AUGUSTINE'S FORTY HOURS

A beautiful procession, in which a large number of children took part, marked the close of the Forty Hours devotion at St. Augustine's church Sunday Sept. 11, at the 9:45 a.m. mass.

Those taking part in the procession were:

Cross bearer, George Heseltine; censer bearers, Arthur Traynor and George O'Brien.

Acolytes: John Lucey, Joseph Pellegrino, John Killilea, Daniel Murphy, Robert Leete, Robert Walsh, Frank Killilea and William McCarthy.

Leader of flower girls, Claire Boulanger. Flower girls: Suellen Adams, Margaret Berthel, Janet Busby, Maureen Callahan, Barbara Carney, Lyn Doyle, Margaret Mauck, Marie McDonough, Patricia Minihan, Suzanne Noury, Judith Parent, and Sharon Sullivan.

Leaders of procession, Pauline Carter and Rhoda DesRoches. Wheat banner, Ann McCarthy; grapes banner, Marilyn Decker.

Boys: Louis McIntyre, William Simeone, John Minihan, Kenneth Bissett, Lawrence Buote, Gerard Burbine, John Carney, Jerome Cookson, Gerald Delaney, Alfred Killilea, David Lucey, John A. Sullivan, John Sullivan, Frederick Tammany, John Cussen, and Richard Tellier.

Girls: Maureen Gillyooly, Juliana Greco, Ellen Minihan, Gail McIntyre, Joan Carney, Joan Currie, Marilyn Heseltine, Jane Lancaster, Carol Waldie, Patricia Golden, Rosalie Milne, Norma Heseltine, Kathleen O'Brien, Ethel Lynch, Cornelia Barry, Sandra Bellisle, Barbara Blackburn, Kathleen Callahan, Elizabeth Campbell, Mary Derbyshire, Geraldine Guerin, Kathleen Merrill, Kathleen Nelligan, Sandra Smith, Carol Ready, Donna Valliere, and Ann White.

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Miss Eleanor Donelan is the Home Service Director of General Electric Appliances, Inc., and will be in attendance during this event. Consult her about your appliance problems.

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EDITORIAL THOUGHTS

ADULT EDUCATION

Far too many people cling to the old fashioned idea that their formal education comes to an end on Commencement Day.

Their first objective is in securing a position and getting on with adult life. Later, they may find that they have spare time on their hands, and cannot seem to put this to good use.

Evening Study programs are the answer to this problem. And Andover is indeed rich in such opportunities. Late September marks the opening of many such courses which will prove of inestimable value to those who will devote one or more evenings a week to any of a variety of subjects.

The Phillips Andover Academy Evening Study Program is open to men and women of the community. It is now in its 13th season and has an average enrollment of about 500. The courses are staffed by members of the Academy faculty, supplemented by teachers from neighboring schools as well as qualified citizens of the community.

The teachers give their services without pay. Any revenue remaining after the cost of expenses, is devoted to institutions furthering the cause of education.

The courses are many and varied. Art, music, literature, photography, swimming, nature study, physical fitness and public speaking are a few.

Phillips Academy is not alone in offering evening education to adults.

Merrimack has evening courses for those who wish to obtain higher education. These are co-educational, and are conducted three evenings a week.

The Memorial Hall Library evening programs are another fine source of enlightenment. Movie film is used extensively to graphically illustrate the various subjects which are taken up by the groups.

Other sources of evening study are the Chamber Music Group, and the Merrimack Valley Bird club, both of which will find ready response from interested parties.

That one is never too old to learn is a time-honored adage. Those who do not avail themselves of the wide-spread opportunities offered in Andover are doing themselves an injustice.

IN ENDLESS CIRCLES

Even in this ever changing world, there are still a few things which appear to have survived the passage of time.

Although the cigar store Indian remains only as a museum piece, one of its eye-catching counterparts spins determinedly along.

That's the barber pole, the universal marker of the tonsorial artist's workshop.

It's been modernized, streamlined, electrified, and glorified, yet the endless circling of its red, white and blue ribbons continues to serve as the symbol of a profession, which, on the other hand, has been quick to adopt newer tools and techniques.

While the wooden redskin outside the tobacco shop was a native advertising device, the barber pole dates back to early European civilization. Like the crossed flags of the Army signal corps insignia, the barber pole's design was suggested by practices long since discarded.

Time was when the barber was also a medical practitioner of sorts. His present willingness to give many a defenseless patron advice on a sure cure for the common cold is perhaps a throwback to that long forgotten era.

In days when blood-letting was the cure-all for one's ailments, it was to the barber shop that the afflicted person was taken. Or if a molar of bicuspid had to be extracted, the red, white and blue pole designated the location for that unhappy experience.

So it was that the white band signified the fillet, or bandage, and the red, the human blood. There are differences of opinion on the original import of the blue stripe. Some feel that it was to signify the heavenly treatment received at the hands of those old time Jacks-of-all-trades.

In ancient times, a basin hung from the barber's pole to complete the motif. This part of the design has been abandoned except in rare instances, and by all but a few stubborn purists.

Let no more changes be made in this time-honored trade mark. There has been change enough in this troubled old sphere.

WHO HAS A STAKE IN THE RAILROADS?

Who owns the railroads of the United States—and who has a stake in their welfare and solvency? The answer is: Practically everybody.

That's a big statement, but it is easy to prove. First of all, some 2,000,000 people own railroad stocks and bonds.

But that's only the beginning. More than half of all railroad securities are held by insurance companies, banks, and educational institutions and foundations. Thus, every person with a savings bank account or an insurance policy has indirect ownership in the railroads. And the income from railroad securities is an important factor in keeping many of our most distinguished universities going.

Naturally, the public interest in the railroads is not limited to such financial considerations as these. Every farmer and every business depends upon swift, efficient and reasonably priced railroad service to move crops and goods to market. Every consumer is served daily by the railroads, whether he realizes it or not. Every unit of government shares in the billion a year tax bill the rails pay.

The railroads are a national asset we couldn't do without—an asset in which all of us share in one fashion or another.

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tions that Britain can no longer afford. However, Life's editors, while not batting an eyelash over Tito's order for a \$3,000,000 United States steel mill and a \$25,000,000 loan smugly announce that the "United States is not under any inherent compulsion to sell to and buy from the rest of the world in important amounts." This remark arises from the current British economic crisis.

In as striking a piece of editorial gobbledegook as has deliberately appeared in some time, these gentlemen, while deliberately abstaining from telling Acheson and Hoffman "how to handle" Britain's crisis that is met partly by the devaluing their currency by 30 per cent, offer two suggestions, so important in the eyes of the editorial board that they are italicized for greater emphasis. First, say these gentlemen, it is useless to look exclusively to the ills and faults of Britain for diagnosis and cure, and second, to argue simply that Britain must be saved is dangerous, because only postponement of disaster lies that way.

Economics And Politics Inseparable

The first contribution is elementary, and fortunately our delegates at recent conferences had long been aware of this fact. The second offering is curious. Now, either there is disaster if Great Britain collapses or there isn't. If to argue that to save her leads to disaster, the obvious conclusion is to let her go. But presumably that brings disaster. To make their observations more profound the editors conclude with devastatingly simple observation: We believe that the new world of the 20th Century can be a good and well-ordered world. Obviously a "well-ordered" world suggests two thoughts. One, that effort must be made to produce order; the other, that presumably we have a great deal of concern over the kind of order that does result. And, the editors to the contrary, we are compelled to buy from and sell to other parts of the world. We have increasing surpluses that must be sent abroad, and we must make those sales possible by buying from other nations.

For this is no longer a matter of convenience or condescension. The American eagle's tail feathers are not mere ornamentation. They are marked Greece, Turkey, Middle East, and more will grow as Britain finds herself unable to maintain her present role in India, Arabia, and the Far East. Why? Because Britain's so-called empire is rapidly becoming a vital concern of ours.

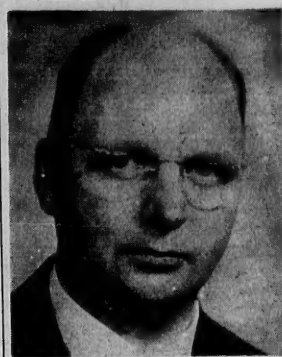
Where Britain Leaves We Go In?

Britain simply cannot afford the financial strain of garrisoning Malaya, Hong-Kong and the Suez area and those other places which while under British rule have been the cause of criticism of British methods. Endowed with that peculiar gift of seeing everything as black or white, we have labeled British foreign policy accordingly. Now that Britain is trying to reduce her military budget from the high 20 per cent of her national income, we begin to feel a sense of uneasiness. What if Britain should get out of Hong-Kong, the last effective check on the Chinese communist flood? What if she leaves Southeastern Asia completely? Will not communism then have greater chance to spread? Is not this the kind of move that Russia is waiting for? Will we become alarmed at possible future danger to Australian independence? Would we just as soon see Egypt or some little Arabian state stand guard over the Suez Canal?

Of course, if we have no interest in any of these places, if without misgivings we can imagine Russian influence in these areas, then the editors are right. Let's forget about Europe's economic worries and bother only about how best to destroy our own surpluses without ruining the economy, let's build an impregnable wall around our coasts. And of course, scrap the Atlantic Alliance. And the consequences? Not only will Britain get out of those areas, with another nation virtually treading on her departing heels. The greater part of Western Europe will be awash. And the easiest course for Europe will be

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MEET—



WILLIAM HARDISTY

One of Shawsheen's popular residents, Mr. William Hardisty cost manager and former president of the Lawrence Beverage Co., Inc., has lived in Andover 10 years.

In addition to his position at the Champlon-International Paper Mill, Mr. Hardisty conducts a part time business of his own in which he deals with income tax procedures, system building, auditing and estate planning.

A graduate of the McIntosh school and Bentley School of Accounting, Mr. Hardisty is a member of St. Matthew's lodge of Masons and the National Association of Cost Accountants, Merrimack Valley chapter.

Born in England 55 years ago, Mr. Hardisty is married and has one daughter, Jean, who is secretary to the chemical director at the Pacific Mills, Lawrence. The family residence is at 9 Dartmouth road.

Do You Know Massachusetts?

DO YOU KNOW THAT . . .

Claims for unemployment compensation in Massachusetts have dropped 26% since the peak late in June and are the lowest since the middle of April, the division of employment security reports . . .

For the week ending Sept. 3 the total claim load had dropped to 146,508, compared with 198,339 for the week ending July 2. Each week in this period has shown improvement . . . Federal tax reports for the fiscal year 1948 show Massachusetts as the second largest state in production of pistols and revolvers, third largest in output of sporting goods and third largest consumer of coconut and other processed vegetable oils . . . The Commonwealth, with 3.30% of the nation's population, paid 3.53% of the federal income and profits taxes . . . During the turnpike era in Massachusetts, which began in 1796 and ended with the advent of railroads about 1850, approximately 1,000 miles of toll highways were privately built, with an investment estimated at \$2,379,000 . . . These turnpikes made the framework of the Commonwealth's present highway pattern . . . The U. S. department of commerce estimates the total cost of all new construction started in Massachusetts during the first half of 1949 was \$207.5 million, an increase of 8% over the same period in 1948. Private construction was off 7%, but public work increased to \$59.7 million, a gain of 66% over last year . . . The Groton planning board has prepared, for submission to the voters, a comprehensive zoning by-law for the protection of the town. (Compiled by State Planning Board).

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Down the Years with The Townsman

50 Years Ago—September, 1899

A gentleman and lady drove around Andover in a Locomobile Thursday morning attracting much attention here where these vehicles are such a rarity.

Mrs. G. R. Ramsdell is building a tasty cottage on the westerly side of her estate on Whittier st.

David Burns, assistant ticket agent at the Boston and Maine station will leave on a trip to coal region of Pennsylvania with party of railroad agents, going by special train.

Frank P. Higgins' horse ran away in Abbott Village, and became detached from bakery wagon when latter came in contact with gate house at Boston and Maine tracks.

TOWNSMAN correspondent makes journey from New York to Albany on day boat with party of English excursionists and delegates.

A new pair of fire department horses were exercised by driver Frank E. Morse on the hook and ladder truck.

Thomas Lunan, Louis B. White, Edward W. White and William Horrell start at M. I. T. next week. F. Holt will enter Harvard Medical school. Walter E. Dennison and Charles E. Starbuck, begin course at Harvard university. Leon G. Saunders has entered Colby college.

Ride to Scotland district shows state highway money doing great deal of good for teamsters and bicyclists from Carter's corner to the North Reading line.

Phillips academy opens with membership of 1903 class not far from 150. Alfred E. Stearns takes place of Theodore H. Brown as instructor of history, but still remains athletic director of school.

Last Monday evening, Leonard Morgan, 16, while standing on track watching freight train near Boston and Maine station, was struck and killed by express train 25 Years Ago—September, 1924

Chestnut street crossings scene of two motor accidents, no one injured but machines badly damaged.

Annual picnic of Baptist church Sunday school held at Hart's pond, Chelmsford, party of 50 going by trucks.

Country fair on Cross estate

under auspices of Christ church attracts over 1000 persons.

Subscription papers circulated for contributions to help Punchard High school athletic teams. School has been well represented for past five or six years in baseball and football, we say, due to hard work of Coach Lovely, but needs financial support.

Shawsheen soccer team wins 4 to 1 from Lorraine Mills of R.I. on Balmoral field before crowd of 1000.

Commander Francis P. Markey of Legion post in charge of Defense day exercises in which more than 2000 citizens of town pledge their willingness to serve country in time of need. He was assisted by Adjutant Joseph McCarthy, Frank Hughes, J. Harry Hilton, Eric Huime, Douglas Hutchinson and Howard Conkey.

The Rev. John A. Nugent, O. S. A. addresses pupils of St. Augustine's school at national Defense day exercises.

William Simmons presented gifts by officials and employees of Marland mill on eve of his departure for Connecticut where he has accepted a responsible position.

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The Townsman

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Pride's Castle, by Yerby
Pride Dawson, a hard, money-getting, embittered Southerner, one of the Robber Barons of the 1870 period, built an empire over the people whose lives he destroyed by his ruthless competition. Two women loved him, Sharon O'Neil, lovely and generous, and Esther Stillworth, who thought no price too great to get her man.

And here are a few mysteries that may have missed your eye: **The Hangman's Tree**, Disney; **House of Storm**, Eberhart; **Murder Is An Evil Business**, Bramhall; **Shoes For My Love**, Leslie; **Blue Harpsichord**, Keith; **The Cabinda Affair**, Head; **Lady Killer**, Cox; **A Rope For The Baron**, Morton; **Spin Your Web**, Lady Lockridge.

A Cup Of Courage, by Lewiston
This is a story intended for younger readers, but still of some interest to adults who will watch with interest a girl's effort to meet a family crisis.

Lord Johnnie, by White
An excellent story for those who enjoy reading about the sea, and who enjoy a rugged personality; Lord Johnnie, used as a pawn by the English and French in pre-Revolutionary days, had but one burning aim—to be a gentleman!

A Woman Of Samaria, by Ingles
A fictionalized version of the woman of Samaria, to whom Jesus made the eternal promise. It is the story of Plotina, whose life was troubled and confused until the moment at the well.

My Love Is Young, by Parson
When a young girl has everything, youth, beauty, wealth, on her side, it is a shock to discover that the one thing she wants most of all is very apt to be hard to find, and to get, especially if it is

her professor who has other interests.

Children's Experiences, by Almy
"Children who have had a variety of reading experiences are more likely to succeed in first grade reading than those who have not," the author points out, and goes on to say that success here is no guarantee that it will be continued.

The Cats In Our Lives, by Kellino
Cat lovers who insist that homes are incomplete without the grace of the feline folk will be delighted to find this charming account of the Mason home and its over-abundance of cats. Pleasant reading.

How To Make Pottery And Other Ceramic Ware, by Turoff
Best all round book for beginners and those somewhat familiar with ceramics.

With A Feather On My Nose, by Burke
Life story of Billie Burke; the beautiful actress tells entertainingly of her life in the theater, of her marriage to Flo Ziegfeld, her friendship with the Barrymores, James M. Barrie, Will Rogers, Eddie Cantor, and many others. As sprightly as her own performances!

Sheridan, His Life And His Theatre, by Cove
The author of "School For Scandal" was equally famous as a politician, as manager of Drury Lane theatre, and as a notorious philanderer!

Thomas, Rock Of Chickamauga, by O'Connor
Here is the life story of one of the most neglected people of the Civil War—George H. Thomas, the only leading general of either side who never lost a battle nor a war, a Virginian who fought for the Union.

Stalin And Co.; The Politurbo
Thirteen men, headed by Stalin, control the Soviet and direct the activities of world Communism. This book contends we must know them as individuals as well as parts of the entire movement. The author, Walter Duranty, was Moscow reporter of the New York Times.

Ant Hill Odyssey, by Mann
The director of the National Zoo is one of Washington's most beloved people; the adventure in his life began at the age of twelve when he went to work on a Montana ranch; his most recent expedition was to the Fiji and the Solomon Islands. His travels include Brazil, Mexico, Arabia, Switzerland and the Pacific. First hand reporting of a naturalist.

Female Persuasion, by Thorp
Because these women, pioneers in living, protested against house and kitchen and family ties, the women of our day have the freedom and privileges which they take for granted. Among them, Amelia Bloomer, Louisa McCord, Catherine Beecher, and Jane Welsh.

Testament Of Happiness, by Huntington
A collection of 800 letters, written by Anne Huntington, a rare and unusual woman, to her

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to give way before the red tide of communism. The result would doubtless be an ordered world, extremely well ordered from Moscow.

Economic Aid For Political Ends

The problem before us is not merely a matter of generously trying to keep Britain above the economic tide. It is urgently a question of saving and reviving her to carry on an essential job. It is very probable that Britain could go on doing a pretty satisfactory job for less money than it would cost us to do the same work. In past years Great Britain has for economic reasons played a significant part in world affairs. It had to be able to guarantee a source of raw materials, and a market for its finished products. Now economically battered she cannot maintain her political influence.

We do not have such pressing economic problems, but we find ourselves in foreign affairs for a different reason but with the same end in view. We want political equilibrium in the world and so we must adopt economic measures for political reasons. To guarantee political safety we must pay the economic price. We may agree that the new world can be a good and well-ordered world, but we'd better have the imagination and perspective to realize that somebody else won't get it for us.

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10 Years Ago—September, 1939
Punchard cheer leaders organized with Isabel Dobbie, Claire Flaherty, Maroy Dunn, Helen Carmichael, Catherine Jowett, Judith Hardy, Pauline DuFresne, Bernice Mundy, Gloria Verette and Joanne O'Riordan on squad.

Arthur W. Howes, organist and choirmaster of St. John's Episcopal church, Washington, D. C., gives organ recital at Cochran chapel.

Miss Jeannette Blackstone Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Reed of Hidden rd. named assistant in German at Boston university.

Francis J. McDonough popular resident of Andover, dies at hospital shortly after his car collided with truck on by-pass.

Holt association of America holds 12th annual summer reunion at West Parish.

friends, forms a shronology of a lovely personality and a rich life.

Paul, by Goodspeed
The book of Paul, once Saul of Tarsus, born about fifteen years after Jesus. He has been called the greatest contributor to the thinking of mankind.

Birdsall Named Spa Manager

The appointment of John M. Birdsall, Jr., as manager of Thompson's Spa's Causeway st. branch, opposite the North Station, was announced recently by Eben S. Reynolds, general manager of the Boston corporation.

Mr. Birdsall, son of Dr. John M. Birdsall, well-known Lawrence dentist, established residence at 36 High st., Andover in May of this year after moving his family from White Plains, N. Y.

Before joining the Thompson's Spa organization, Mr. Birdsall managed the Orienta Beach Club, Mamaroneck, Howard Johnson's, White Plains, Woolworth's and Childs restaurants, all in the New York City area.

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A romantic bachelor, breakfasting in a restaurant, noticed his soft-boiled egg bore the inscription:

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HEATHERS 1				
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R. Vannett	63	79	77	219
Dummy	64	60	65	189
E. Moore	77	81	62	210
A. Spencer	72	72	61	205
S. White	75	77	67	219
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KILTIES 0				
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M. McCafferty	62	71	86	219
M. Thomson	86	80	79	245
M. Souter	54	53	65	172
R. Meek	71	62	73	206
Dummy	58	68	69	195
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Names	1	2	3	Tot.
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A. Maitland	88	76	75	239
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"How far," persisted the motorist, "if the crow has to walk, carrying a can of gasoline?"

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Draft Board Has New Schedule

Commencing Monday Sept. 26, Selective Service local board No. 8 located at 477 Essex st., Room 410-411, Lawrence, will, in the interest of economy of operation, be placed on a part-time schedule and will be open during the following hours: Daily 9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. except Saturdays.

Local Board No. 8 has within its jurisdiction Andover, North Andover, Boxford, Methuen, and Lawrence.

The local board will be open during the hours designated for registration, as well as for the conduct of other business connected with the operation of the Selective Service system. Registration may also be made at any other point established by the local board for that purpose.

The obligation to register is imposed by Congressional Act on every male citizen or resident of the United States between the ages of 18 and 26, with only the general exception of members of the armed forces on active duty and certain aliens. The young man who becomes 18 is required to register within five days from the date of his 18th birthday. He need not necessarily register at his own local board, but may present himself at any point of convenience where registration facilities are available. His record will be sent to his local board.

Following registration, it is mandatory that a registrant keep his local board informed of any change in address or status. This also applies after he becomes 26 years of age.

Buntin Reports At Springfield

Frank Buntin of South Main st. has reported for fall football practice at Springfield College. Head Coach Ossie Solem is starting his fourth year at Springfield and he is aiming at duplicating last year's exploit of six wins, one loss and one tie, the best Springfield season in two decades.

Buntin is playing fullback. Springfield will open against Cortland State Teachers College at Cortland, N.Y., on Saturday, Sept. 24.

Two Local Girls At Sage College

Miss Patricia Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Black, 6 Washington ave. and Miss Janice M. Bowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Bowen, 6 Argyle st., are enrolled as members of the freshman class at Russell Sage college, Troy, N.Y., and are taking part in the freshman week activities. The college's opening convocation was held on Tuesday.

Miss Black and Miss Bowen are graduates of Punchard High school.

Wait Enrolled In Vermont Acad.

John P. Wait, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Wait, Ballardvale rd., was among those enrolled at Vermont academy, Saxtons River, Vermont, as it began its 74th academic year on Tuesday, Sept. 13.



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Andover Grange Elects Officers

Hartwell Abbott was elected Master of Andover Grange at the annual election of officers held Tuesday Sept. 13. Other officers elected were: overseer, Franklin Allen; lecturer, Grace Allen; steward, William Barron, Jr.; assistant steward, Eleanor Goff; chaplain, Richard Williams; treasurer, Harry Wright; secretary, Gladys Colmer; gatekeeper, Vesta Darby; Ceres, Wilmer Abbott; Pomona, Florence Barron; Flora, Catherine Goff; lady assistant steward, Marilyn Darby; pianist, Marion Henderson; executive committee for three years, Alex Henderson.

Post Office Prepared To Handle Student Laundry

Within the next few weeks, the Andover post office will begin to handle some 600 parcels a week

of student laundry, a task which will continue throughout the school year.

The United States post office department is, among other things, the largest dispatching agency for student laundry parcels. With four centers of learning in Andover, the local postal headquarters has considerable of this business.

An idea of the size of this task is gained when one considers that about 350 cases a week are sent from and returned to Phillips Andover academy; 100 cases to Abbott academy; another 150 cases to the Sacred Heart school for Boys, and not a few to students of Merrimack college, who at present live in private homes.

The local post office, postmaster Stephen T. Boland states, is ready to meet the increased demand for the shuttling of students laundry back and forth from the school to their homes.

He urges that specially-made laundry mail cases be used, since

they are constructed sturdily, and will withstand repeated handlings. The use of insurance and special delivery postage is also advised by postal officials.

Transfers Made By State Police

With the end of the summer season at Salisbury Beach, two state police officers from the Andover barracks who were on duty there for the past few months, have been reassigned to the local headquarters. They are patrolmen Walter M. Kornachuk of Danvers, and Carl M. Larson of Norwood.

Another change in the personnel of the Andover barracks saw patrolman George H. Strout of Salem, stationed here for several months, go to Framingham. He was replaced here by patrolman Arthur F. Lebrun, who was previously at the Framingham barracks.

Local Girls Resume Studies At College

Miss Emily Pettit left Tuesday for Washington, D. C. to resume her studies at Trinity college, where she is a member of the senior class, majoring in economics. Her sister, Miss Joyce Pettit, entered her sophomore year at the College of Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, Pa., where she is majoring in biology. The young ladies are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Pettit, 2 Beech circle.

Emily is a graduate of St. James high school, Haverhill, and Joyce graduated from the Academy of Notre Dame, Tyngsboro.

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Do You Want Your A&P Put Out Of Business?

Last Thursday in New York, the anti-trust lawyers from Washington filed a suit to put A&P out of business.

They asked the court to order us to get rid of most of our stores and also the manufacturing facilities which supply you with A&P coffee, Ann Page products, Jane Parker baked goods, and other quality items we produce.

This would mean higher food prices for you. It would mean less food on every dinner table and fewer dollars in every pay envelope.

It would mean the end of A&P as you know it.

This poses a basic question for the American people: Do they want to continue to enjoy lower prices and better living? Or do they want to break up A&P and pay higher prices, and have lower living standards?

What do you want?

Why Destroy A&P?

This suit was brought under the anti-trust laws. These are good laws. They were passed about fifty years ago to prevent any company, or any group of companies, from getting a monopoly in a field and then raising prices to the public.

A&P has never done any of these things.

Nobody has ever shown that we have anything even approaching a monopoly of the food business anywhere. As every housewife knows, the retail grocery business is the most competitive in the country and we do only a small part of it.

Nobody has ever said we charged too high prices — just the opposite. This whole attack rises out of the fact that we sell good food too cheap. We would not have had any of this trouble if, instead of lowering prices, we had raised them and pocketed the difference.

Nobody has ever said that our profit rate was too high. During the past five years our net profit, after taxes, has averaged about 1 1/2% on every dollar of sales, which is less than almost any other business you can think of.

The American people have shown that they like our low-price policy by coming to our stores to do their shopping. If A&P is big, it is because the American people, by their patronage, have made it big.

Obviously, it is the theory of the anti-trust lawyers that the people have no right to patronize a company, if their patronage will make that company grow; and that any big business must be destroyed simply because it is big, and even if the public gets hurt in the process.

SHAWSHEEN

Mrs. G. Edgar Best, Correspondent, Telephone 171

BOARD TO MEET

The executive board of the Shawsheen Village Woman's club will hold their first meeting of the new season at 1:30 p.m., Friday, Sept. 30, at the home of the treasurer, Mrs. Carleton Schulze of 1

Carisbrooke st.

Discussions will be held concerning exact dates of conferences and conventions that are to be held during the year.

Members of the new executive board are, president, Mrs. Norman L. Miller, vice-president, Mrs. Walter C. Caswell and Mrs. G. Edgar Best, recording secretary, Mrs. Thomas W. Bevan, corresponding secretary, Mrs. Joseph Cardella, treasurer, Mrs. Carleton E. Schulze. The directors of the club are, Mrs. Edward P. Dean, Mrs. Edward J. O'Connor, Mrs. Wallace C. Fiedler, Mrs. William G. Thompson.

College

Miss Janice M. Bowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bowen of 6 Argyle st. left during the past week for Russell Sage college,

Troy, N. Y. where she has entered as a member of the freshman class.

Miss Bowen graduated from Punchard High school with the class of 1949 and she was an honor student all during the year.

During her first week at college she is taking an active part in the freshman week activities and the college's opening convocation held on Tuesday of this week.

Contest Judge

Miss Anne Harnedy, principal of the Shawsheen school and the West Center school, has had the honor of being chosen one of the judges in the essay contest that is being sponsored by the community chest, Rotary club, and Kiwanis club of Greater Lawrence.

Miss Harnedy is a graduate of Lowell Teachers' college, attended Boston university and summer school at the University of Brussels, Belgium and also the University of Paris.

Miss Harnedy has been associated with essay contests conducted in the Andover schools in past years.

Antique Group Will Meet

The antique study group of the Shawsheen woman's club will meet at 9 a.m. Friday, Sept. 23 at Shawsheen square for a trip to Sturbridge.

Box lunches may be brought, or one may eat at the restaurant on the grounds. For reservations, call Mrs. Thomas Bevin, Mrs. Maude Bramley, or Mrs. Edna Steinert.

Brotherly Love

"So you and your neighbor are not on speaking terms?"

"No. He sent me a can of oil to use on my lawnmower when I started to cut the grass at 6 in the morning."

"And what did you do?"

"Sent it back and told him to use it on his wife when she started singing at 11 p. m."

JUNIOR HIGH

By MARY E. BISHOP

ASSEMBLY

Last Friday a "How do you do" assembly was held, at which time

teachers in charge of various activities were introduced to the school and then explained their activities. Benjamin F. Dimlich was in charge of the assembly, while Ruth Sullivan led the flag salute and welcomed the new students on behalf of the school and faculty. Mary Alice Shea gave a piano solo, and Joyce Mowart rendered an accordion solo. All three girls are members of the ninth grade. Others taking part were Miss Evelyn Parker of the business department, who explained the system of school banking, and Donald D. Dunn, head of the physical education department who explained the various sport

activities, the color teams, also how you may win an emblem.

School Banking

School banking will begin Tuesday of next week, and we all hope the art of thrift will be practiced by the pupils of Andover Junior high. The girls assisting Miss Evelyn Parker and Miss Beatrice Stevens at the cash registers in the cafeteria are Maureen Darby, Sal-elle, and Arlene Pariseau, all tele. and Arlene Pariseau, all chosen from the business division.

The first classes of religious education for this year will commence about Oct. 1 for all churches.

The school library opened Tuesday for its regular periods throughout the school year. There are for library references and to borrow books. Students librarians assisting Miss Katherine Sweeney are: Shirley Clegg, Arvilla Mason, Sally Ann MacCullom, Anne Lord, Judith Colena, Marilyn Dickson, Maxine Wainwright, Marjorie Retelle, Mary Lee Adriance, Christine Mayard, Mary Minard, Peter Corey, Carl Buschman, Alberta Briggs, Judith Nowell, Diana Sorota, Joan Silva, Helen Andrews, Irene Martin, Judith Autcherlonie, and Katherine Lloyd.

The Punchard J.V.'s played the Tewksbury J.V.'s at Tewksbury Monday afternoon with the following ninth grade boys participating, George MacCafferty, Gilford Effinger, Louis Misola, Marco Stefani, James Dolan, Robert Merrill, Gardner Robinson. These boys have been trained by Coach Walter Roberts along with the regular Punchard varsity team.

The score was 28-6 in favor of Punchard. Among those of the junior high who helped us gain such a great victory were MacCafferty, Effinger, Misola and Dolan.

This team is now scheduled to play every Monday and will be called the Monday League.

The first fire drill of this year was carried out very satisfactorily Friday. The whole building was cleared in exactly one minute and 40 seconds.

All girls interested in being a cheerleader have been practicing for the past week. They are: Ann Smith, Patricia O'Neil, Josephine Collins, Florence Golden, Barbara McKay, Marilyn Early, Cora Reed, Louise Mullen, Vivian Marchese, Carol Pratt, Roberta Dickson, Nancy Eldridge, and Marjorie Davis. Very soon a cheering session will be called and the vacant places in the squad will be filled by some of these girls.

The special programs for the combined assemblies have been decided upon and they're sure to prove very enjoyable. They are, Dec. 8, Alfred Cavalleri, a young concert violinist who has had much experience over the radio and nationwide touring; Feb. 6, 1950, Wasanth Wan Singh trio presents the music and dances of India; April 14, Trampoline Stars perform unbelievable aerial maneuvers on the auditorium stage; April 25, Howard Cleaves shows "Animals Unaware" a colored movie which contains many secrets of the animal world; May 17, James Coletta a captain in intelligence during the World War II, tells his own adventure story of "Intrigue" behind the enemy lines.

Thanks, Your Honor!

The judge had just awarded a divorce to a wife who had charged non-support.

"And," he said to the husband, "I have decided to give your wife \$50 a month for support."

"That's fine, judge," the man replied, "and once in a while I'll try to slip her a few bucks myself."

Do You Want Higher Prices?

There is much more involved in this case than the future of A&P. The entire American system of efficient, low-cost, low-profit distribution which we pioneered, will face destruction and the public will suffer.

A&P was the first chain store in this country. For more than ninety years we have tried to build a sound business on the simple formula the founder gave us: "Give the people the most good food you can for their money." Year after year we have tried to do a better job, make our business more efficient, and pass the savings on to the consumer in the form of lower prices.

Our efforts along these lines have led other grocers to keep their costs and profits down.

In the old days before A&P, food that cost the grocer 50¢, often sold as high as \$1.00 at retail.

Today, food that costs the grocer 50¢ generally sells to the public at less than 60¢.

The methods we pioneered have been adopted not only by other grocers, but by merchants in other lines. There are today literally hundreds of chain stores, voluntary groups and individual merchants operating with the same methods and in the same pattern here under attack.

If the anti-trust lawyers succeed in destroying A&P, the way will be clear for the destruction of every other efficient large-scale distributor.

Who Will Be Hurt?

There has never been any question in our mind that it is good business and good citizenship to sell good food as cheaply as possible. As Fortune Magazine said about A&P some time ago, "It is firmly attached to the one great principle — the selling of more for less — that has made the desert bloom and the nation wax great."

We sincerely believe that we have helped the American people eat better and live better.

We believe that the hundreds of thousands of farmers and manufacturers who have voluntarily sought our business have profited by our fast, low-cost distribution of their products.

We know that our 110,000 loyal employees enjoy today, as they always have, the highest wages, shortest hours and best working conditions generally prevailing in the retail food industry; and that these men and women have found in A&P good opportunities for security and progress.

We know that thousands of businessmen — the landlords who rent us our stores, the haulers who operate our trucks, the people who supply us with goods and services — have a big stake in our operations.

Obviously, all these people will suffer if this company is put out of business.

What Shall We Do?

We admit that the interests of the owners of A&P are of little importance.

Frankly, they could make an enormous amount of money by breaking up A&P, as the anti-trust lawyers wish, and selling off the parts.

But is this what the American people want? Do they agree with the anti-trust lawyers that our food prices are too low, and that we should be put out of the picture so other grocers can charge more?

Frankly, if this were the case, we would not want to continue in business.

But we seriously doubt that this is the case. Twelve years ago, an effort was made to tax this company and other chain stores out of business. The public rallied to our support. They said they liked our quality foods and our low prices. As a result of their opposition, the tax was defeated.

Now we are faced with this new attack through the courts. We are faced with the heavy costs and all the trouble that lawsuits involve.

But we believe this attack is a threat to millions of consumers who rely on us for quality foods at low prices; to farmers who rely on us for fast, low-cost distribution of their products; and to our loyal employees.

We feel that it is our responsibility to all these people to defend, by every legitimate means, this company and the low-price policy on which it was built.

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GRANGE MEETING

Andover Grange 183 will meet in Grange hall on next Tuesday evening, Sept. 27 at 8:00. The first and second degrees will be exemplified at this time. The first degree by the regular officers and the second degree by the men's degree team, Merwyn Darby, Master.

Sunday School Opens

The West Parish church Sunday school commenced on last Sunday morning with a banner enrollment of over 135 teachers and children. The Little church for children begins at 10:30. As in former years, the bus service is available each Sunday. Mr. Johnson supplies the transportation.

Attends Banquet

Mrs. Kenneth Hilton, representative of Book House for Children attended the 30th anniversary banquet of the founding of

Book House, at the Copley Plaza on Saturday. Mrs. Olive Beaupre Miller, originator of the series, gave an interesting talk on the "Effect of Television and Radio on the Growing Child", and Mr. Reed, president of the Book House for Children, gave a brief resume of the accomplishments in the field of education. Representatives from all New England states enjoyed the varied program.

Notes
An executive Board meeting of the West Andover P.T.A. was held last Friday evening at the home of the president, Arthur Peatman, Cutler rd. The first fall meeting will be held Wednesday evening, Oct. 5 in the West Center school.

The children's choir of the West church held their first rehearsal Wednesday in the vestry. This choir is for boys and girls from the third grade through the sixth. The Rev. and Mrs. John G. Gaskill are in charge. The choir will meet every Wednesday afternoon.

The Rev. John G. Gaskill and supt. of the West church school, Earl Young, attended the Minister and Laymans' meeting in Old South church, Boston, Monday evening.

The arrangement committee of the Andover Association of churches will meet Friday, Sept. 23, at 9:30 a.m. at the home of

the Rev. John G. Gaskill, Lowell st.
A meeting of the Sunday school teachers of the West church will be held next Tuesday evening, Sept. 27.

Persons
Mrs. James Bangs and her daughter, Donna, have returned to their home on Lowell st., after spending the past week with relatives in Holyoke.

Miss Virginia Stevens of Virginia rd. resumed her studies at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology Monday. She is in her senior year.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Broughton and their family, formerly of Balmoral st., have moved into the Buchanan house on Lincoln st.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Johnson and family of Northboro were Sunday guests of Miss Ebba Peterson of High Plain rd.

Miss Constance Dow has resumed her studies at Fitchburg State Teachers college after spending her summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Halbert W. Dow of Beacon st.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Haartz of High Plain rd. entertained the members of the Haartz family at their home on High Plain rd. last Thursday. A delicious turkey dinner was served by Mrs. Haartz. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. William Haartz, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Haartz, and their son, Karl, Mrs. May Litchfield, all of Scituate.

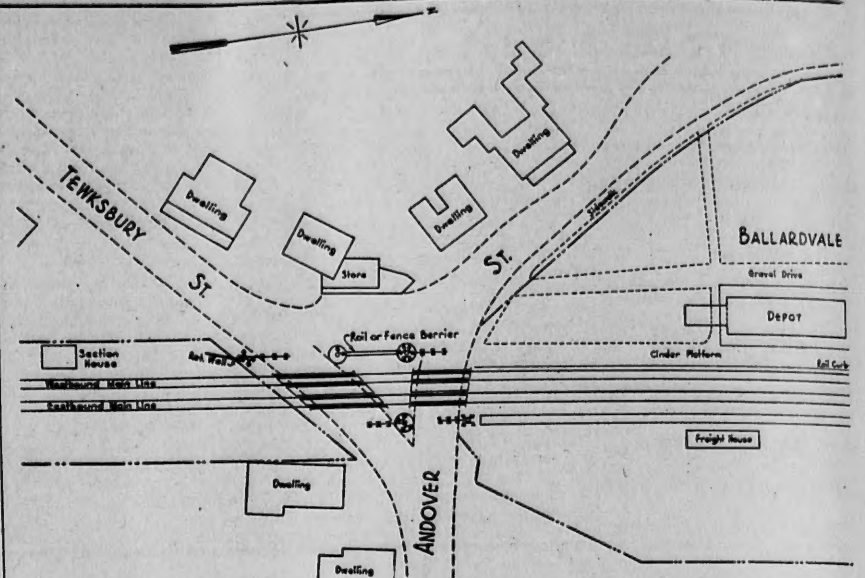
Mrs. Fred White of Shawheen rd. and Miss Ruth Morgan are enjoying a vacation in New York City and Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrance Finnerty and Miss Isabelle Dobbie of Shawheen rd. spent the weekend in Ludlow, where they attended the wedding of their niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright returned to their home on Shawheen rd., after spending the summer at East Bluehill, Me.

Albert Johnson has resumed his studies at the Massachusetts State college after spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fudolph Johnson of High Plain rd.

Mr. and Mrs. William McKeown of Lowell st. spent the past week with relatives in New Hope, Penn. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Russell of Argilla rd., entertained the fol-



Sketch of the railroad crossing at Andover and Tewksbury streets, Ballardvale, at which the B. & M. seeks permission to install automatic gates and flashing lights instead of the manually operated gates and gatetender now there.

lowing guests during the past week end: Mr. and Mrs. John Carver of Wells, Me., Mr. and Mrs. William Scheiner of Percheater, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bodner of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ritchie, Jr., and their daughter, Sandra, visited with friends in Marblehead Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eften Lermund, Sylvia and Marion Lermund, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Adams, all of Whitinsville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lermund of Lowell st.

William McKeown, Jr. of Lowell st. commenced his studies Monday at Hobart college, Geneva, N. Y. He was graduated from Puncard High school in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Thompson and family have returned to their home on Chandler rd. after an enjoyable vacation spent at Biddeford Pool, Me.

James Bangs of Pittsfield spent the weekend at his home on Lowell st.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Thomas have returned to their home on Lowell st., after spending several days with their daughter, Mrs. William Melkie of Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Stevens and their daughters, Shirley and Virginia attended the 35th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thresher which was held Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hancock of Greenwood. Mr. Thresher is Mrs. Stevens brother. During the evening, the couple was presented a television set by their many friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Jones and family of Waltham, were guests recently of the latter's sister, Mrs. Lathrop Merrick of Shawheen rd. Mr. and Mrs. Roger H. Lewis entertained a group of friends last Saturday evening at their home on Laurel land. A corn roast was enjoyed.

Mrs. Benjamin Boyd of River rd. entertained a group of the members of the Ladies Aid society of the South Congregational church last Thursday at her home. A chicken pie dinner was served. The hostesses were Mrs. Norman Crossman, Mrs. Herbert Gray and Mrs. Ralph Morrison.

Mrs. John G. Gaskill of Lowell st. attended the Congregational Ministers' Wives retreat held at Rolling Ridge, No. Andover on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Special Musical Services For The Baptist Church

The special musical services sponsored by the Baptist church and featuring Miss Alice Farnsworth will commence at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 5 and will continue for the five following weeks.

Miss Farnsworth a well known concert singer is soloist of Tremont Temple and has been soloist at the Boston Pops concert, Boston symphony and Boston concert under Leo Litwin and the Handel and Haydn society, on many occasions.

The singing MacKerrons of Gordon college faculty will also be present. Franklin MacKerron will be the song leader and Mrs. MacKerron, the accompanist. The Rev. Archibald MacMillan and the Rev. George Beecher, both former pastors of Lawrence churches, will be in charge of services.

BEAN SUPPER

A home cooked bean supper will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Saturday Oct. 8 in the Free church lower vestry. The affair is sponsored by the September circle of the Free church woman's union.

P.H.S. Prepares For Chelmsford

Punchard High school's football squad came out of the opening game with Concord last week without injuries and started Monday in preparation for Saturday's game at Chelmsford.

This game will open Chelmsford's season and the latter will be out to avenge the 20 to 0 defeat pinned upon them by Punchard last year.

In the practice this week Coach Walter C. Roberts paid particular attention to perfecting the downfield blocking which was not up to form last Saturday. With the linemen Donald D. Dunn, line coach, stressed the defensive play in order to tighten up the frontier for Chelmsford's attack.

The Punchard J. V. team opened up its season Monday at Tewksbury with a 28 to 6 win.

Plans are underway to form a Monday league for the junior varsity teams to include Tewksbury, Dracut, Johnson and Punchard. A schedule will be drawn up and will be put into effect shortly.

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Births...

Groves — A daughter, Kathryn Sherrill, born Sept. 8 at the General hospital, Saranac Lake, N. Y. to Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt N. Groves. Mrs. Groves is the former Ethel Watts of Ballardvale.

Bigelow — A son, Saturday, at the Lawrence general hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin T. Biglow (Virginia Fry), 52 Salem st. Leszezynski — A daughter, Saturday, at the Lawrence general hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leszezynski (Constance Grasso), 406 North Main st.

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To Wincenty Kozlowski, sometimes known as William Kozlowski, Wincenty Kozlowski, sometimes known as Trifon Mikleskink, sometimes known as Trifon Mikleskink, Joseph P. Slipp, John J. Slipkowski, James H. Simmons, Anthony Alan Simmons, Rita H. Simmons, individually and as Guardian of James H. Simmons and Anthony Alan Simmons, of Andover, in the County of Essex, and said Commonwealth; Giuseppe Messina, sometimes known as Giuseppe Messina, sometimes known as Frank Slipp, sometimes known as Frank Slipp, of Lawrence, in said County of Essex; Anna S. Gillespie, of Miami, in the State of Florida; The Commonwealth of Massachusetts; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Max Cohen, of said Andover, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

Two certain parcels of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in that part of said Andover called North Andover, bounded and described as follows:

Parcel A. Southwesterly, by Pleasant Street, 80.00 feet; Northwesterly, by Bunker Hill Street, 150.00 feet; Northeasterly, by land now or formerly of Wincenty Kozlowski, 80.00 feet; and Southeasterly, by lands now or formerly of Trifon Mikleskink, 155.00 feet.

Parcel B. Southwesterly, by Pleasant Street, 22.59 feet; Westerly, by Chickering Road, 55.53 feet; Northwesterly and Southwesterly, by Northwesterly again, by land now or formerly of Giuseppe Messina, 34.91 feet; 25.00 feet, and 100.00 feet, respectively; Northeasterly, by land now or formerly of Vladis Slipkowski, 80.00 feet; and Southeasterly, by Bunker Hill Street, 180.00 feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundaries are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House) or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lawrence in the County of Essex, where a copy of the plan filed with said petition is deposited, on or before the third day of October next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, and said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, John E. Fenton, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of September, in the year nineteen hundred and forty-nine.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

(Seal) SYBIL H. HOLMES, Recorder.

Elwyn A. King, Esquire

40 Main Street, North Andover, Massachusetts

Attorney for the Petitioner.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Lawrence, September 7, 1949

SHERIFF'S SALE

Essex, ss.

By virtue of an execution which was issued on a judgment at the Superior Court of Essex, on the 18th day of July, 1949, in favor of Maurice S. Close, Assignee of Lawrence, in the said County of Essex, against Timothy J. McCarthy of Andover, in said County of Essex, I have taken all the right, title and interest which said Timothy J. McCarthy of Andover, in said County of Essex, had on the 14th day of February, 1949, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, the day and time when the same was attached by me process, in and to the following real estate to wit:

Bounded and described as follows: to wit: The land in said Andover with the buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Avon Street one hundred feet south of the southerly line of Summer Street (hereafter by land now or formerly of Samuel Walker one hundred feet; thence southerly by land now or formerly of Samuel Walker fifty feet to land now or formerly of John S. Robertson; thence westerly by land now or formerly of John S. Robertson one hundred feet to Avon Street; thence northerly by Avon Street fifty feet to the point of beginning.

And on Saturday the 15th day of October 1949, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of Louis Silverman, Room 618 on the sixth floor of the Bay State Building, so called at the corner of Lawrence and Essex Streets in said Lawrence, I shall offer for sale by public auction to the highest bidder, the said real estate and all fees and charges of sale.

Terms Cash.

LOUIS SILVERMAN, Deputy Sheriff

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK

The following pass book, issued by the Andover Savings Bank has been lost and application has been made for the issuance of duplicate book. Public notice of said application is hereby given, in accordance with section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908.

Book No. 52,365.

Payment has been stopped.

LOUIS S. FINGER, Treasurer

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To Cornelius A. Wood, individually, of Andover, in said County of Essex, Rev. Cornelius A. Wood, Jr., of Washington, in the District of Columbia, William M. Wood, 3rd, of Louisville, in the State of Kentucky, Muriel Wood Winet, and Susan Winet and David Frindle Winet, both minors, and all of Geneva, in the State of New York, and Allen Perkins Spaulding, Anne Dudley Spaulding and Frederic Ayer Spaulding, all minors, all of Eden, in the State of New York, Countess Rosalind Wood Guardabassi, and Federico Maria Guardabassi and Francesco Giulio Guardabassi, both minors, all of Perugia, Italy.

A petition has been presented to said Court by Cornelius A. Wood, of said Andover, and Old Colony Trust Company, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, trustees under the will of William M. Wood, late of said Andover, deceased, testate, praying for instructions as to the proper disposition of the sum of money referred to in said petition, and for such other and further relief as to said Court may seem proper.

If you desire to be heard thereon you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem within twenty-one days from the third day of October, 1949, the return day of this citation and also file an answer or other pleading within twenty-one days thereafter.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

Docket No. 228375

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the petition hereinbefore described.

A petition has been presented to said Court by Dionisio G. Economopoulos, otherwise known as Dionisio Economopoulos, Dan Economopoulos, and Dan Econ, and Angela D. Economopoulos, his wife, of Andover in said County, praying that their names may be changed as follows: Dionisio G. Economopoulos to Dan Econ, Angelika D. Economopoulos to Angie Econ.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty sixth day of September 1949, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

/s/ JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Antonio Catanzaro, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale, certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of October, 1949, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

Atty. Charles A. McCarthy, Register

505 Bay State Bldg.

Lawrence, Mass.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

Docket No. 86489

Essex, ss.

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BALLARDVALE

Mrs. Hazel Schofield, Correspondent, Telephone 698-M

FRIENDLY GUILD MEETING

The first meeting of the fall season will be held by the members of the Friendly guild on Sept. 30.

A covered dish supper will be followed by a business meeting and a social hour. Those on the committee include: Mrs. James Fairweather, Mrs. Joseph Bouleau, Mrs. Charles Walent, Miss Doris Shaw, and Mrs. Roland Joy.

Girl Scout Notes

The leaders of the girl scout Troop 19 met Wednesday to formulate plans for the coming season. Mrs. Arthur Weiss is the leader and is assisted by Mrs. George Forsythe and Mrs. Edna O'Hara.

Supper To Be Held

The members of the Friendly guild of the Union Congregational church are sponsoring a spaghetti supper to be held in the church vestry Oct. 12.

Mrs. Cecilia Fiorentino who was

cook for the boys at camp Onway will prepare the supper. She will be assisted by Mrs. William McIntyre, Mrs. Joseph Bouleau, Mrs. Alfred Welle, Mrs. Ralph Greenwood and Mrs. James Schofield.

P. T. A. Makes Plans

At an executive meeting held recently at the home of the president, Bart Smalley plans were made for the activities of the Ballardvale Parent Teachers Association for the coming months. The first meeting is scheduled for the first Thursday in October.

Meeting Held

The ladies of the Methodist church met last evening at the home of Mrs. John Wilson of Andover st., to plan the work for the Women's Society for Christian service.

A nominating committee was elected, Mrs. Henry Myers, chairman assisted by Mrs. Calvin Selforth and Mrs. John Duke.

The next meeting of the group will be held the first Wednesday in October.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Abbott of Detroit, Mich., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stark of Marland rd.

Murray Ballou of Center st. is enjoying his annual vacation.

Mrs. William Raymond and baby son returned to their home on Church st., Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Mears left Sunday for Portland, Me., where she will enter the Westbrook Junior college.

Mrs. Fred Buckley of Center st. and Mrs. John Duke of River st., spent the weekend with relatives in Holyoke.

James Green of Tewksbury st., has resumed his studies at Northwestern university.

Robert Mitchell, Jr. has returned to the University of Massachusetts where he is a second year student.

Miss Elna Fone of Clark rd., is commencing her third year at Leslie college in Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews of Showhegan, Me., visited relatives in the Vale over the weekend.

Little Ellen Gray has returned to her home on Center st., after spending the summer months with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews of Showhegan, Me.

Mrs. Ralph Greenwood of Tewksbury st., Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hennessy and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hennessy, Jr. of North Andover spent the weekend at Newhampton, N.H.

William Watts is now attending Huntingdon academy in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Watts and

family have returned after visiting relatives at Saranac Lake, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stott have returned to their home on High st., after spending ten days at Jackson, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sparks of River st., attended a campers reunion at Lakeport, N. H., over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunnard Skoog and family of Quincy visited Mr. and Mrs. James Nicoll of Clark rd., on Sunday.

Harry Trow has returned to his home on River st., after undergoing a major operation.

CONCORD TOPS P.H.S.; REMAINS UNDEFEATED

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made two first downs that carried them to the Concord 32 before a fumble stopped the march.

Through the game the offensive playing of Dwyer was very good as well as the defensive playing of Collins and Curry.

The summary:

CONCORD — Prendergast, le., Bowse, lt., Mutt, Queen, lg., Berg, Grover, c., Curran, Queen, rg., Woodworth, McGrath, rt., Bajeur, Alexander, re., King, qb., J. McKenna, lhb., Basile, rlb., Pierce, J. McKenna, fb.

PUNCHARD — Brucato, Rayball, re., F. Brennan, Calder, rt., Fredrickson, rg., Mauceri, c., Curry, Prescott, lg., R. Brennan, lt., Otis, le., Lawrence, qb., Wilson, Wilkinson, rlb., Dwyer, lhb., Collins, fb.

Score by periods

	1	2	3	4	Tl
Concord	6	6	0	0	12
Punchard	0	0	0	0	0

Touchdowns: Basile, Pierce.

Referee, Charles Vye; umpire,

James Gaffney; head linesman,

Murray Hicks. Time, four 9's.

LEGION TO INSTALL OFFICERS SEPT. 29

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to the national and state departments. Regular membership is \$4.

students and servicemen \$2, totally disabled veterans in hospitals, free.

It was announced that 25 and 30 year consecutive membership cards are available and can be obtained by notifying the adjutant.

The post made preliminary plans for Poppy day to be held in November, the exact date to be announced later.

The post is highly pleased with the results of reactivating the air warning service all last week. Headquarters were established at Sidney P. White's Wild Rose farm and manned 24 hours daily. Some of the post members served as spotters of the planes while other spotters were recruited from the men who served at the local observation post during the war.

On the evening of the post meeting members of the ladies auxiliary manned the observation post while the meeting was being held.

Veterans May Correct Their Dividend Blanks

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ing on both the application and acknowledgment or if the signature is missing, the veteran should be advised to complete and submit another application. Any other item, if missing or incorrectly completed, will be obtained in central office from the index files. If this information is not available, central office will correspond with the veteran, furnishing him with a blank application and requesting that he complete and return same.

Veterans are again reminded not to initiate correspondence with the Veterans Administration relative to their applications for the special dividend on G. I. insurance.

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Names	1	2	3	Tot.
Geo. Craig	109	94	101	304
Don White	71	78	99	248
Fred Scott	118	103	84	305
H. Pattullo	86	98	82	266
J. Denholm	107	118	78	303
	491	491	444	1426

SEAFORTH'S 1

Names	1	2	3	Tot.
W. Deyermont	97	81	107	285
W. Watt	83	109	93	285
J. Bissett	94	87	108	289
Dummy	71	78	78	227
J. Thomson Jr.	103	94	95	292
	448	449	481	1378

GORDONS 2

Names	1	2	3	Tot.
J. Gurrie Jr.	93	95	98	286
J. Thomson Sr.	87	93	81	261
Jim Watt	94	86	83	263
Alex Meek	97	113	90	290
W. Vannett	109	95	151	355
	480	482	503	1465

JOHNSTONS 2

Names	1	2	3	Tot.
F. Westcott	94	97	108	299
J. Nicoll	109	96	93	298
D. Anderson	113	91	87	291
J. Henderson	83	87	110	280
J. Caldwell	106	93	103	302
	505	464	501	1470

Coming Events

September

- 22 Installation of officers of the auxiliary to Andover post, 8, American Legion, post rooms, 8 p.m.
- 23 Rug hooking class for beginners at library, 1:30 p.m.
- 24 Food sale by November circle at L. G. & E. store, Main st., 10 a. m.
- 24 Punchard High school football team at Chelmsford, 2:30 p.m.
- 24 C. D. of A. lawn party at home of Mrs. James E. Coleman, 2 p.m.
- 28 Junior High school tea sponsored by Central PTA, 3 p.m.
- 29 Andover Service club opens season at Andover Inn, 6:15 p.m.
- 29 Installation of Andover post, 8, American Legion officers, post rooms, 8 p.m.
- 30 Fair of King's Daughters at

Obituary...

MRS. LILLIE L. GREENE

Mrs. Lillie L. (Hippler) Greene, 70, of 29 Canterbury st., died Wednesday at the family home.

South church, afternoon and evening.

October

- 1 C. D. of A. Rummage sale, St. Augustine's hall, 9 a.m.
- 1 P.H.S. football team at Danvers, 2:30 p.m.
- 1 Mass. Maritime academy football game at Phillips academy.
- 9 September circle bean supper, Free church vestry, 5 to 7 p.m.

following a short illness. A native of Boston she had made her home here for the past 15 years.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Irving O. Piper with whom she resided, and Mrs. Inez Stephenson; one son, Karl Greene of Lawrence, and three sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Frederickson of Methuen, Mrs. Mabel Frederickson of Lawrence, and Mrs. Elsie Sullivan of Hull.

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